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WASHINGTON.

The Senate Asked for Increased Appropriations.

[illegible] M'DONALD AS A PEACEMAKER

[illegible]—House and Senate Proceedings—The Chinese Indemnity Fund—Etc.

The Presidency.

WASHINGTON, March 20.—[Special.]—Democratic [illegible] here are in a dilemma over the presidency outlook. While the sentiment seems to be rapidly crystallizing among republicans in favor of the nomination of Blaine, the democrats are [illegible] the [illegible] of Payne and Flower. There are [illegible] mentioned as the ticket [illegible] and the latter is the [illegible] a [illegible] regular and the [illegible] of New York to capture the [illegible] democrats in Washington. There are scores of democrats in Washington [illegible] the possibility of the [illegible] They say that [illegible] representative of the Standard oil [illegible] as a candidate for president [illegible] The feeling is growing [illegible] among democrats that some man must be found on whom the party can unite, a man of character, ability and reputation, who can command the confidence of the people and who will save the party from utter loss [illegible] eastern states upon which the party depends for success.

Portland Benefited.

WASHINGTON, March 20.—Postmaster General Gresham has informed [illegible] the new fast mail service west. [illegible] after completing arrangements for the new fast mail service west [illegible] Northern Pacific [illegible] Negotiations with an agreement with that company [illegible] resulted in an agreement [illegible] o'clock in the evening [illegible] eastern mails [illegible] now leaves at 8 P. M. This [illegible] St. Paul mails in Portland, Oregon [illegible] twenty two hours earlier than under [illegible] schedule. Speaking of the new fast mails [illegible] General Gresham said: "We are simply [illegible] at our command to give the public the [illegible] possible service. The new post service has [illegible] the public a [illegible] more than the old service [illegible] The people will get improved facilities with [illegible]"

Grant and Arthur.

WASHINGTON, March 20.—Last evening President [illegible] called upon General Grant, and they were [illegible] together two hours.

General Mackenzie's Successor.

WASHINGTON, March 18.—There seems no doubt [illegible] David S. Stanley of the Twenty second [illegible] succeed General Mackenzie as brigadier general.

The Weather.

WASHINGTON, March 20.—The Pacific coast: fair weather.

House.

WASHINGTON, March 20.

The house in committee of the whole on the [illegible] bill [illegible]

The resolution declaring Garrison entitled to his seat was unanimously adopted, and that gentleman appeared and took the oath of office.

The conference report on the military academy appropriation bill was taken up and agreed to. The [illegible] as passed appropriates $314,510.

[illegible] the senate bill for [illegible] foot and mouth disease to the committee on agriculture with leave to report at any time.

[illegible] to the latter part and the bill must [illegible] morning hour was dispensed with and the house went into committee of the whole, Dorsheimer in the chair, on the bonded extension bill. Its [illegible] were explained by Willis, who declared that [illegible] to pass the bill meant bankruptcy and ruin [illegible] most important and influential firms in [illegible] and throughout the west. It meant bankruptcy not only to manufacturers, but to [illegible] holders of whisky. It meant bankruptcy and [illegible] many leading banking interests in the west [illegible] shrinkage in grains and stocks for [illegible] amounting to [illegible] dollars [illegible] a shrinkage of $40,000,000 in value of [illegible] property. England once a great [illegible] of our grain and during the last year [illegible] herself from India with one third of all [illegible] needed, and it was predicted in less [illegible] years she would be independent of the [illegible] States. What would become of the hundreds of millions of bushels of grain raised in this country which was not consumed in England [illegible] and if these distillers closed [illegible] demand was cut down? The time would [illegible] again when farmers would burn corn for fuel [illegible] western states.

[illegible] said the house was asked to extend the time [illegible] of [illegible] 70,000,000 gallons of whisky [illegible] involved amounting to $4,000,000. The [illegible] depression in the whisky interest resulted [illegible] production. He did not believe that this [illegible] going to remedy the evil; on the contrary [illegible] would only aggravate the evil. The [illegible] not be settled until the country would [illegible] internal revenue taxes. Suppose [illegible] they were repealed. By that time taxes on [illegible] whisky if this bill passed would amount to [illegible] and congress would be asked to grant a [illegible] of these taxes.

[illegible] of New York delivered an elaborate [illegible] on the general subject of the tariff [illegible] He supported Morrison's bill [illegible] and the conservative opinion of the country [illegible] reduction in the present tariff. He [illegible] there were some divisions in the party on the [illegible], but trusted they would be reconciled pending [illegible] in the committee's report.

[illegible] private bill day, and it will require a two-thirds vote to take up the bonded extension bill. It is not probable its consideration will be [illegible] before Saturday.

The speaker laid before the house a communication from the secretary of war transmitting an estimate of $50,000 for a pedestal statue to General Gar[illegible] to be erected in Washington by the Army of the Cumberland. Referred.

Senate.

WASHINGTON, March 20.

[illegible] called up and the senate resumed consideration of the bill increasing the salaries of United States [illegible] judges to $5000. The pending question was Hoar's amendment providing that the increase shall only apply to judges hereafter appointed.

After discussion the bill went over until tomorrow.

The committee on finance reported favorably on [illegible] bill to provide for refunding excess duties on [illegible] of newspaper placed on the calendar.

[illegible] offered a resolution which was agreed to calling on the secretary of the navy for copies of [illegible] with names in [illegible] England [illegible] therefor for the ironclad [illegible]

Consideration of Blair's education bill was resumed, and it was discussed at length. The debate [illegible] resumed to-morrow.

[illegible] called up the report from the committee on [illegible] on the military academy appropriation [illegible] concurrence thereon.

[illegible] adjourned.

CONGRESSIONAL CHIT CHAT.

THE POSTAL TELEGRAPH.

WASHINGTON, March 13.—[Special.]—George D. [illegible], representing the postal telegraph [illegible] before the sub-committee of the house committee on postoffices and post roads yesterday [illegible] a proposition in the form of a bill [illegible] postmaster general to enter into contract with the postal telegraph company. [illegible] Roberts of the Postal Telegraph Company [illegible] before the house committee on post[offices] and roads to-day and made arguments in support of the proposition that the company enter [illegible] contract with the government for telegraphic [illegible].

[illegible] Budd of California also appeared before the committee and argued that the proposed [illegible] of the Postal Telegraph Company was [illegible] in form and substance. In conclusion Budd [illegible] bill as a job that should not be [illegible] which system would satisfy people.

[illegible] judiciary committee to-day [illegible] Representative Broadhead's bill [illegible] civil or criminal [illegible] issued by [illegible] courts may be executed and served [illegible] Indian or military reservation within [illegible] national park, provided such reservation [illegible] the limits of the county or district [illegible] such court has jurisdiction.

[illegible] WORKING FOR THEIR TERRITORIES.

[illegible], March 20.—[Special.]—Several meetings [illegible] territorial delegates in congress have [illegible] held with a view to procuring [illegible] legislation for their constituents. In the present [illegible] of affairs it is improbable that [illegible] relating to territories will ever [illegible] reached in the regular order. [illegible] Brents, Ouray and Post have devised [illegible] asking the house to set two days [illegible] in which to consider territorial bills. Several [illegible] members, among them Reed, have promised [illegible] support. The resolution to that effect and it will be [illegible] as soon as the whisky bill is disposed of. If [illegible] is successful in this movement among the [illegible] likely to be considered by the house will be [illegible] admitting Washington territory as a [illegible].

FAVORABLE REPORT AUTHORIZED.

[illegible], March 20.—The house committee on [illegible] has authorized a favorable report to [illegible] bill to allow any person to manufacture [illegible] out of apples, peaches, grapes [illegible] fruits raised by him free of internal revenue tax.

THE CHINESE INDEMNITY FUND.

WASHINGTON, March 20.—The house committee on [illegible] affairs today agreed to report favorably the [illegible] providing the return to China of the residue [illegible] Chinese indemnity fund.

Washington Territory.

[illegible] The Chronicle says: Now that our city has [illegible] population numbering over 2000 souls and [illegible] taken towards forming an agricultural [illegible] the purchase of fair grounds [illegible] [illegible] good soil and herds. Within a mile [illegible] an excellent location can be [illegible]

[illegible] been issued and placed in the hands [illegible] for the arrest of the leaders in [illegible] affair of last election day night [illegible] are waiting to see the denouement [illegible]

TARIFF TALK.

Watterson's Utterances Against the Protective Hour—The Split in the Party.

WASHINGTON, March 20.—[illegible] Watterson [illegible] Mr. Randall and those who [illegible] will [illegible] the tariff question out of the [illegible] party has called down a storm of [illegible] the heads of the [illegible] of the revenue reform [illegible] who [illegible] "sells out," says Perry [illegible] Watterson's utterances are calculated to [illegible] Morrison's bill more harm than good in the house [illegible] Watterson is certain however that this attempt [illegible] of the party [illegible] of the executive committee of the democratic congressional committee [illegible] of the national committee. The [illegible] down at its last meeting an attempt to embrace [illegible] national convention [illegible] executive committee of the congressional [illegible] with [illegible] as chairman at its head as opposed to the tariff [illegible]

[illegible] SAID AS A PEACEMAKER.

Ex-Senator McDonald of Indiana is here [illegible] He [illegible] to [illegible] the tariff question [illegible] If he [illegible] bring the [illegible] of the [illegible] bill [illegible] has talked with leading men [illegible] Randall [illegible] or Morrison [illegible] Randall [illegible] of the party and [illegible]

[illegible] McDonald [illegible] Watterson [illegible] of reaching an agreement are slim, however.

THE COMING CAUCUS.

When the democratic caucus meets next Tuesday [illegible] southern member, probably Tillman of South Carolina, will offer a resolution approving the view [illegible] the Ohio tariff platform. This platform declared in favor of tariff for revenue, with protection to American industries and labor while not fostering monopolies. It is expected that this resolution will receive about seventy votes [illegible] from New York, Pennsylvania, Ohio [illegible] New Jersey [illegible] Maryland, West Virginia, Virginia [illegible] California, Missouri, Georgia, Alabama, Tennessee and Louisiana. While the friends of the [illegible] the [illegible] is expected to have [illegible] they [illegible] to [illegible] in favor will convince the champions of the Morrison bill that it cannot pass the house.

NAVAL APPROPRIATIONS.

The Secretary Asks the Senate to Increase Various Sums in the House Bill.

WASHINGTON, March 20.—The appropriations committee of the senate has agreed to [illegible] a communication from [illegible] at their request by the secretary of the navy [illegible] for [illegible] contained in the [illegible] appropriation bill as it passed the house [illegible] the secretary of the navy [illegible] Pay miscellaneous from $175,000 to $[illegible] contingent navy [illegible] $[illegible] equipment and recruiting [illegible] bureau of medicine and surgery [illegible] bureau of construction and repair [illegible] bureau of steam engineering [illegible]

He asks that the appropriation for the bureau of ordnance be made as follows: General [illegible] including [illegible] $102,000 [illegible] for the purchase of [illegible] torpedo boat and working drawings of [illegible] machine [illegible] loading guns $[illegible] and states that the sum of $200,000 appropriated by the house bill for the bureau of yards and docks is insufficient to meet the requirements of that bureau.

A [illegible] request for an addition [illegible] accompanied by a statement [illegible] for which it is asked [illegible] the necessity of such increase.

[illegible] secretary of the navy are as follows: Completing the batteries of the new cruisers $[illegible] [illegible] also that there be appropriated $[illegible] toward the construction of two [illegible] dispatch vessel [illegible] heavily armed [illegible] two [illegible] boats [illegible] one cruising torpedo and two harbor torpedo boats.

THE GREELY EXPEDITION.

Commander Schley Does not Favor Offering a Reward and Gives Reasons Therefor.

WASHINGTON, March 20.—[Special.]—Commander Schley, of the Greely relief expedition [illegible] offering a reward [illegible] as proposed by the bill introduced by Senator Hawley. He said it would [illegible] but [illegible] to survey thoroughly the Arctic [illegible] but at the [illegible] minimum reward of $100 or $150,000 [illegible] overestimated. The relief expedition will be planned so as to reach [illegible] where Greely [illegible] started as early as [illegible] would have to be [illegible] private parties [illegible] reward. A larger number of [illegible] of inferior construction [illegible] small [illegible] would [illegible] disastrous [illegible] the risk will [illegible] very great as the relief expedition [illegible] after [illegible] ventures in case of disaster. They are [illegible] captains of whaling vessels who would [illegible] at the [illegible] for [illegible] the reward at the risk of their vessels and depending upon the government expedition to assist or rescue them. The effect [illegible] government [illegible] also be prejudicial as to [illegible] of ships being provisioned and prepared for a two years stay in the Arctic regions and there being a possibility that they will have to remain for that time it would be a very serious obstacle to success of the search if they had to look out for and take care of the crews of some whaler wrecked in the rash attempt to find Lieutenant Greely, and if the government relief expedition is burdened with the rescue not only finding the Greely party, but also of looking out for all private expeditions that might be [illegible] to join the search, the chances of success might be very materially diminished.

RAILROAD NOTES.

[illegible] CHARTERED.

NEW YORK, March 20.—[Special.]—The legislature [illegible] affirmatively [illegible] a charter to the [illegible] Pacific [illegible] F. Huntington [illegible] Oliver Burns, A. N. Towne [illegible] Davis [illegible] E. J. [illegible] incorporators, capital $[illegible] [illegible] company to [illegible] railroads [illegible] lines. The matter attracted but little attention until [illegible] day, when it was revealed [illegible] parties that [illegible] the [illegible] last year for the New Hampshire [illegible] and the [illegible] rejected to have [illegible] Efforts will be made to [illegible] the charter [illegible] on the ground that it is in [illegible] conflict [illegible] of [illegible] Constitution [illegible] are to be contested in the state.

MEXICAN [illegible]

NEW YORK, March 20.—[illegible] The Times says: A statement has been prepared by the directors of the Mexican National railroad company [illegible] intention [illegible] reorganization [illegible] April [illegible] first mortgage [illegible] with [illegible] capitalists in England and [illegible] but the negotiation [illegible] it is reported [illegible] English capitalists are only waiting for the last moment to obtain better terms. The [illegible] hundred and sixty miles of the road remain to be completed.

[illegible] the Oregon Railway and Navigation company recently [illegible] has been largely taken by English capitalists. The balance of the loan has been subscribed for in Boston and London.

RAILROAD NOTES.

RAILROAD SITUATION ADJUSTED.

CHICAGO, March 20.—The railroad situation in the northwest was finally [illegible] The roads in the Northwestern, Rock Island, Burlington and Milwaukee [illegible] to form a pool [illegible] to run two years to date from April 1. Any road can [illegible] expiration of [illegible] percentage [illegible] all lines agreeing to [illegible] In the meantime the rates are to be [illegible]

WRIGHT SUCCEEDS VILLARD AS DIRECTOR.

NEW YORK, March 20.—Charles B. Wright of Philadelphia has been elected director of the Northern Pacific vice Henry Villard resigned.

ACCIDENTS.

TWO BOYS DROWNED.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., March 20.—A sad accident occurred at Wilmington yesterday. Two boys aged about 12 years each, named [illegible] went to a small lake [illegible] two miles from the place for the purpose of fishing, their boat was [illegible] entered at [illegible] deep water when the boat filled and both boys were drowned.

TELESCOPED WITH A FREIGHT TRAIN.

PALESTINE, Texas, March 20.—[illegible] or the Missouri Pacific [illegible] telescoped this morning with a freight [illegible] telescoping the front part of the [illegible] and cars. The [illegible] company [illegible] with some bruises.

UTAH.

Cattle Disease in Utah.

SALT LAKE, March 20.—A [illegible] foot and mouth [illegible] appearance among the cattle [illegible] territory. A committee of cattle men [illegible] Wyoming and Utah [illegible] disease [illegible] They [illegible] near [illegible] Months as well as feet are affected [illegible]

Not the Foot and Mouth Disease.

CHICAGO, March 20.—[illegible] Breeders' Gazette [illegible] where he has [illegible] to [illegible] found [illegible] There are [illegible] professors and two veterinary surgeons [illegible] think they are [illegible] pressed.

None know it [illegible] but to praise.

THE EAST.

Arrangements Completed for the Fast Mail Service to Portland.

DEMOCRATIC POLITICIANS IN A DILEMMA.

The President Likely to Veto the Fitz John Porter Bill—Reception to Mrs. Duniway in New York—General News.

Western Beef for the East.

NEW YORK, March 20.—[Special.]—Western cattle [illegible] beef has [illegible] [illegible] is backed by the railroads [illegible] market [illegible] dealers, [illegible] Chicago [illegible] Grand Trunk [illegible] the stockyards [illegible] only the middle [illegible] producer and [illegible] business. [illegible] the attempt to [illegible] William Ott [illegible] butcher [illegible] pany known as the Northern Pacific Refrigerator Company with the Marquis de Mores as its president [illegible] supply [illegible] refrigerator [illegible] slaughtered in Montana at the rate of 500 car loads yearly.

The "Price Current" Compilation.

CINCINNATI, March 20.—The Cincinnati Price Current to-morrow prints the compilation of pork packing the past season at [illegible] Chicago, Cincinnati, St. Louis, Kansas City, Indianapolis, Milwaukee and Louisville—showing a total of 5,[illegible] hogs [illegible] a decrease of [illegible] [illegible] weight [illegible] [illegible] the condition of the wheat crop [illegible] very good in Indiana [illegible] variable [illegible] damaged [illegible] Kansas [illegible] and by [illegible] winds and backward but promising in Michigan. There is [illegible] the winter wheat belt.

To be Contested.

NEW YORK, March 20.—Special.—Tribune [illegible] General J. W. Browne has [illegible] [illegible] himself and family to [illegible] about $[illegible] General Browne died several months ago, leaving the estate in question [illegible] the Chicago [illegible] and an administrator [illegible] Jefferson Davis [illegible] Davis's [illegible] who [illegible] will [illegible] a legacy of $[illegible] to Mrs. Davis [illegible]

A Remonstrance from Henry Bergh.

NEW YORK, March 20.—[Special.]—Having [illegible] Henry Bergh, president of the society for the prevention of cruelty to animals [illegible] the press: It is [illegible] form is that of [illegible] of all nationalities to usurp its streets [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] in the world would [illegible] autonomy and [illegible] it [illegible] are possible."

Japanese Engineer Appointed.

[illegible] dates [illegible] ability [illegible] was educated in this country and was [illegible] chief engineer of the Northern Pacific in Wyoming [illegible] at Montana [illegible] Japanese engineer [illegible] [illegible] there are about 100 of other nationalities engaged in [illegible] country.

Investigation not Necessary.

NEW YORK, March 20.—[Special.]—[illegible] says: It is difficult to understand [illegible] Alaska [illegible] any kind [illegible] [illegible] been exhausted.

Reception to Mrs. Duniway.

NEW YORK, March 20.—[Special.]—A reception was given [illegible] at the residence of [illegible] Mrs. Abigail Scott Duniway [illegible] the gathering [illegible] woman suffrage [illegible] Oregon she will be a candidate for the [illegible] for governor of that state. Among those present were Lillie Devereux Blake, Rev. [illegible], O. Wilcox, H. T. [illegible], Matilda Joslyn Gage and Mrs. Goss.

Acreage in Minnesota and Dakota.

ST. PAUL, March 20.—Associated press interviews with a number of the most prominent farmers of Minnesota and Dakota, intending the farmers' convention here, show that the increase in acreage in Minnesota will be between 10 and 20 per cent. It is now thought that there will be any increase in wheat acreage, as farmers seem to have been taught by the present low prices of wheat that it is not safe to put all the [illegible] In Dakota the increase of acreage will be about 25 per cent. While the increase of wheat acreage will be about 10 per cent.

Rapidly Thawing.

ST. PAUL, March 20.—Associated press specials from Bismarck, D. T., and other points along the Missouri river show that it has been thawing night and day for the past week. The snow has rapidly disappeared. If the present weather continues the river will be [illegible] in ten days as the tributaries are [illegible] their [illegible] the parent stream [illegible] If the weather continues [illegible] the same [illegible] will be about [illegible] per cent [illegible]

Hungarian Paupers.

PHILADELPHIA, March 20.—A special [illegible] Press from Mahanoy City says: [illegible] are protesting against the crowding [illegible] region by New York [illegible] [illegible] houses in which [illegible] found [illegible] rooms in which [illegible] women and children are huddled in a sickening [illegible]

She has Very Poor Taste.

ERIE, Pa., March 20.—A sensational elopement was frustrated here to-night [illegible] Mrs. [illegible] a young married woman [illegible] The pair were discovered [illegible] leaving the depot [illegible] the mother [illegible] to prevent the outrage, but Mrs. [illegible] escaped and has not been recovered.

Death of Dickens's Dutchman.

PHILADELPHIA, March 20.—Charles Langheimer, widely known as Dickens' Dutchman, died recently, and his death was made known today. He died and was quietly buried in the potter's field after serving fifty of his seventy five years of life in a convict's cell. He was [illegible] the time of his death, but was allowed to return and die in prison, which he looked upon as his home.

Will Veto the Fitz John Porter Bill.

NEW YORK, March 20.—Special.—Post's Washington special: The president will veto the Fitz John Porter bill. He is reported as saying that in pardoning Porter he restored him to his civil rights, and he has not seen anything in the evidence that has been presented whether new or old to justify [illegible] for the accuracy of this statement.

Burdette Assaulted.

NEW YORK, March 20.—[Special.]—Specials from Burlington, Iowa, state that Burdette, the famous funny man of the Hawkeye, was assaulted yesterday by two drunken Irishmen, who were offended by a humorous and innocent sketch of St. Patrick's day. The assault occurred in the editorial room. It thus assailants were armed with revolvers and knives.

Forcible Persuasion.

COUNCIL BLUFFS, March 20.—Hon. F. B. Caldwell, attorney of this city, was last evening [illegible] by one Healy at the muzzle of a revolver and forced to sign a check for $800, Healy claiming that Caldwell had wronged him in a cattle trade to that amount. A warrant is out for the arrest of Healy. Healy is a man of means and an old cattle dealer well known in trade circles.

A Remarkable Recovery.

NEW YORK, March 20.—[Special.]—Tiller André, who was shot February 12 by Jean [illegible] goes home to Germany next week. The surgeon who attended him said that there are only a few recorded cases where persons recovered from wounds similar to André's. The bullet passed through his stomach and his body.

Offers Being Considered.

PHILADELPHIA, March 20.—The American Steamship company [illegible] of [illegible] ships by the Red Star Line. It is said that the line of steamers sailing under American [illegible] and the American Steamship Company has included [illegible]

Chicago Grain Market.

CHICAGO, March 20.—Wheat [illegible] [illegible] for March, [illegible] for April, [illegible] for May [illegible] for June, [illegible] for April 56¼ for May, 57½ for June; oats quiet at [illegible] for March [illegible] for May [illegible] for June.

Foreign Grain Markets.

NEW YORK, March 20.—Special.—[illegible] [illegible] wheat [illegible] which is lower.

Fined for Mutilating Webster's Tomb.

PLYMOUTH, Mass., March 20.—Herbert [illegible] has been fined $[illegible] for mutilating the marble tablet on the tomb of Daniel Webster at Marshfield.

Reducing Marriage Licenses.

ANNAPOLIS, March 20.—The house delegates passed the [illegible] bill reducing the marriage license fee from $4.50 to sixty cents.

Instructed for Blaine.

[illegible], March 20.—[illegible] county convention to-day instructed for Blaine.

RAILROAD DISASTER.

Chicago Limited Express Thrown from the Track—Fireman Killed and Eight Passengers Injured.

PITTSBURG, March 20.—The Chicago limited express on the [illegible] railroad [illegible] Ohio, this morning at 4 o'clock [illegible] No particulars [illegible] left for the [illegible] with [illegible] [illegible] that a number of persons have been injured.

Later reports say [illegible] fireman was instantly [illegible] All the passengers were more or less injured, but none were killed.

OFFICIAL REPORTS.

PITTSBURG, March 20.—Official report of the limited express [illegible] going down grade [illegible] at a rate of forty [illegible] struck a [illegible] jumping the track [illegible] [illegible] and the [illegible] [illegible] instantly killed [illegible] [illegible] all passengers transferred [illegible]

MORE PARTICULARS.

PHILADELPHIA, March 20.—At the office of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company nothing has been heard [illegible] the fast train [illegible] the Limited express [illegible] Columbiana beyond what the associated press [illegible] from Pittsburg. The wires between Pittsburg and Columbiana are [illegible] but officials are making every effort to get a working wire [illegible] They are also arranging a [illegible] for [illegible] injured.

LATER.—The [illegible] parts the train ran into a landslide [illegible] six or seven miles west of [illegible] Recent rains had loosened the earth and it fell upon the track. The engine and train were derailed. Engineer James [illegible] and his Fireman [illegible] [illegible] were instantly killed [illegible] passengers slightly injured and [illegible] seriously [illegible] [illegible] Treasurer [illegible] other passengers were also slightly injured. Wrecking trains were sent to the scene of the accident. The passengers were transferred [illegible] [illegible] will be able to go through to their destination.

LIST OF KILLED.

YOUNGSTOWN, Ohio, March 20.—It is now known that [illegible] was killed [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] were seriously injured. Eight others were [illegible] [illegible] but not dangerously hurt.

LATER AND FULLER PARTICULARS.

SALEM, Ohio, March 20.—The Chicago and New York limited express on the Pittsburg, Fort Wayne and Chicago railroad which passes here at [illegible] A. M. met with a terrible [illegible] two miles [illegible] this morning. The train was [illegible] with a combination smoking and baggage car, dining car and two sleepers [illegible] [illegible] passengers [illegible] [illegible] conductor [illegible] Dowey [illegible] engineer [illegible] Richards and fireman Chas. [illegible] [illegible] and [illegible] at a high rate of speed the [illegible] for [illegible] to [illegible] the engine down an embankment [illegible] feet [illegible] killing the [illegible] and fireman [illegible] from the point where the engine had [illegible] killing them instantly. [illegible] [illegible] with [illegible] car [illegible] the river [illegible] the dining car was [illegible] [illegible] embankment and is a complete wreck. The [illegible] two [illegible] were [illegible] from the track [illegible] thrown a distance of twenty feet [illegible] [illegible] that [illegible] the interior of the sleeper was a scene of indescribable [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] calling for help [illegible] [illegible] it [illegible] first [illegible] [illegible] imprisoned. The first [illegible] from the wreck was [illegible] bruised [illegible] in breaking [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] It was [illegible] ascertained [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] Engineer [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] injuries are not considered fatal.

IN WALL STREET.

West and Northwest Trunk [illegible] Advance [illegible] Rise in Coast [illegible]

NEW YORK, March 20.—[illegible] stocks were strong [illegible] higher.

Northern Pacific preferred advanced to 1 1/2 [illegible] [illegible] Northwest [illegible] [illegible] strengthening [illegible] market [illegible] percent [illegible] After midday speculation was quite firm and in the last hours of business Northern Pacific and Oregon Transcontinental [illegible] [illegible] very active and advanced sharply. [illegible] strengthened the whole list and the market closed strong. [illegible] compared with last night's closing prices are [illegible] per cent higher for Oregon Navigation, Northern Pacific, Oregon & Transcontinental and Manitoba [illegible] lower for Union Pacific, Pacific Mail and Central Pacific.

MONEY, STOCKS AND BONDS.

NEW YORK, March 20.—Money market was easy at [illegible] prime mercantile paper [illegible] sterling exchange bankers bills firm at $4.8[illegible] sterling exchange [illegible] $4.8[illegible]

Bonds—3s [illegible], 4s, 1[illegible], [illegible] Pacific [illegible]

St[illegible] American Express [illegible] Central Pacific [illegible] Chicago, Burlington & Quincy [illegible] Delaware [illegible] [illegible] Kansas [illegible] [illegible] Lake Shore [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] Northern Pacific [illegible] Northwestern [illegible] New York Central [illegible] Oregon Navigation [illegible] Oregon and Transcontinental [illegible] Oregon Improvement [illegible] Pacific Mail [illegible] [illegible] Rock Island [illegible] St. Paul [illegible] Union Pacific [illegible] [illegible] Wells, Fargo [illegible] Western Union [illegible] [illegible]

CRIMINAL CALENDAR.

Blind on Powdered Glass.

WASHINGTON, March 20.—A warrant was sworn out against [illegible] yesterday afternoon [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] the afternoon [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] and Dr. [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] to-morrow and prove fatal.

A HOAX.

ST. LOUIS, March 20.—It is now stated [illegible] the [illegible] of George [illegible] Mel[illegible] Telleriss [illegible] [illegible] the Express [illegible] body was [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] where escape is possible. [illegible] was as well as ever at noon to day.

THE OBT CARS ROBBED.

ST. LOUIS, March 20.—The negroes Lewis Freeman and [illegible] boarded several freight trains near [illegible] last [illegible] revolvers covered the train [illegible] and brakemen [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] attached [illegible] [illegible] robbers [illegible] jailed [illegible] [illegible] and arm. Alderman [illegible] was shot in the knees.

FATAL FAMILY ROW.

NEW ORLEANS, March 20.—[illegible] [illegible] [illegible] killed [illegible] by his brother-in-law [illegible] No details are furnished.

Comments on Justice Field's Opinion.

NEW YORK, March 20.—Special.—The Mail and Express prints to-day the opinions of the press of the country respecting Justice Field's legal understanding. To-day it gives the following:

From the Albany Evening Journal: There is no reason to doubt that of [illegible] the propriety of [illegible] by Justice Field will find their way into a fundamental law through a constitutional amendment. [illegible] are alive to the full significance of the extraordinary power which congress has been judged to possess. The limitation of the power [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

The Mail and Express adds: The troubles the people [illegible] may yet [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] their [illegible] by hundreds of [illegible]

The [illegible] is quoted by saying: [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] Justice Field has had [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] among all classes of people.

THE PRIZE RING.

[illegible] TWO ROUNDS FOR A SILVER CUP.

[illegible], March 20.—Jack Davis of Wheeling [illegible] of Pittsburg fought a desperate [illegible] with hard gloves for a silver cup [illegible] in a barn at the east end. Seventy [illegible] rounds were fought resulting in favor of [illegible]. Both men were badly punished and Davis was [illegible] at the finish of the fight as to be unable [illegible] [illegible] the fight was over fourteen [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] the barn [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] About 200 persons witnessed the fight.

The very best cure for indigestion and loss of appetite is Dandelion Tonic.

FOREIGN NEWS.

General Gordon Disappointed in What he has Accomplished.

MINISTER WALLACE OBTAINS HIS RIGHTS.

Gladstone Guarded by Detectives—Osman Digna Runs Away—The Pope Anxious—Debate in the Canadian House of Commons.

THE WAR IN EGYPT.

WAR NOTES.

LONDON, March 20.—Osman Digna has crossed the [illegible] and Sinkat [illegible] at [illegible] [illegible] retreat [illegible]

[illegible] Highlanders [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] Slimgon [illegible] The French [illegible] at Cairo received a dispatch from [illegible] French [illegible] at Khartoum saying March [illegible] Gordon [illegible] [illegible] a strong [illegible] [illegible] against the [illegible] [illegible] In the meantime he commanded the government [illegible] to [illegible] native chiefs and sheikhs (Moslems).

OSMAN DIGNA AND HIS MOVEMENTS.

LONDON, March 20.—Dispatches from newspaper reporters at Suakim seriously conflict. It is now reported that Osman Digna has summoned tribes [illegible] [illegible] tomorrow [illegible] a renewal of active [illegible] Admiral Hewitt will issue a proclamation offering $[illegible] for Osman's head.

GEN. GORDON DISAPPOINTED.

PARIS, March 20.—Figaro [illegible] dispatch [illegible] says Gordon has told the French [illegible] at Khartoum that he is disappointed in what [illegible] [illegible] He said it would [illegible] defeat the place [illegible] [illegible] a [illegible] Khedive [illegible] minister of war [illegible] be sent to the [illegible]

FLIGHT OF OSMAN DIGNA.

[illegible], March 20.—[illegible] that Osman Digna [illegible] Slaves are deserting [illegible]

ENGLAND.

ARTILLERY [illegible]

[illegible] March 20.—[illegible] [illegible] Egyptian [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] sixty Egyptian [illegible] Hicks Pasha's army.

[illegible] CANADA.

LONDON, March 20.—[illegible] Canada [illegible] [illegible]

[illegible]

LONDON, March 20.—Switzerland [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] American [illegible] [illegible]

LIVERPOOL MARKETS.

LIVERPOOL, March 20.—Wheat [illegible] [illegible] Flour [illegible]

MAILS.

LONDON, March 20.—The [illegible] from Auckland for Englan[illegible] from San Francisco April [illegible]

[illegible]

LONDON, March 20.—[illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

GUARDED BY DETECTIVES.

LONDON, March 20.—Gladstone [illegible] [illegible] guarded [illegible]

FRANCE.

THE [illegible]

PARIS, March 20.—[illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] the pope [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] advisability [illegible]

THE WAR [illegible]

PARIS, March 20.—It has been decided that the [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] Tonquin shall [illegible] [illegible] of Hongkong.

TURKEY.

WALLACE OBTAINS HIS RIGHTS.

NEW YORK, March 20.—[illegible] Herald's Constantinople [illegible] Minister Wallace [illegible] a [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] the [illegible] [illegible] has yet only [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] what he had previously [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] foreign affairs [illegible] There is a general delay in the settlement of American claims.

CHINA.

THE NEW [illegible] OF TONQUIN.

PARIS, March 20.—After the capture of Hunghoa the French will fix the western frontier of Tonquin at Luan [illegible], which is now in possession of the Black flags. The Black flags will be allowed to retain all towns from Luan [illegible] on condition that they will guarantee free navigation of the upper [illegible] The north of Tonquin [illegible] from [illegible] Thong to Loan Kuan [illegible] the [illegible] and Phudoan Hong.

CANADA.

[illegible] DEBATE.

OTTAWA, March 20.—[Special.]—The motion made by Sir [illegible] in the house of commons last night that it was expedient to [illegible] [illegible] British Columbia. The debate continued until 2 a. m. to-day.

RUSSIA.

DEATH OF A SOLDIER AND [illegible]

ST. PETERSBURG, March 20.—[illegible] [illegible] death [illegible] [illegible] distinguished as a general and statesman [illegible] St. Petersburg [illegible] 91.

Twenty-seven nihilists were arrested, [illegible] including [illegible] artillery officers.

IRELAND.

FIREMAN KILLED.

DUBLIN, March 20.—[illegible] [illegible] [illegible] burns [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] is dead and the others are badly injured.

NORWAY.

APPOINTED [illegible]

STOCKHOLM, March 20.—Crown Prince Gustaf has been appointed viceroy of Norway.

POLITICAL.

[illegible] VIEWS.

NEW YORK, March 20.—[Special.]—Beecher being interviewed yesterday on politics said Arthur was his first choice. John Sherman could make an able president, but he could not be elected. Edmunds [illegible] Blaine he did not believe as strong as was at [illegible] [illegible] The latter could lose many republican votes at the outset, and [illegible] [illegible] enthusiasm. John Sherman he thought would carry the north and south as well. Lincoln would be a good second on any ticket. He was for Grant for [illegible] and last but he was out of the race. Beecher declined to talk about the democratic candidates but thought he [illegible] the ticket, but would [illegible].

THE [illegible] OFFICERS NOMINATED.

PROVIDENCE, March 20.—The republican state convention met this morning. The present state officers were nominated and the present state central committee re-elected. Governor Bourne was presented to the convention and made a speech.

THE PRIZE RING.

KNOCKED OUT IN THE THIRD ROUND.

NEW YORK, March 20.—[Special.]—A glove fight for $250 a side was fought between Patrick Sullivan of New York and H. Powers of Brooklyn to-night at Clarendon hall, in the presence of several hundred spectators. Four rounds were to have been fought but Powers was knocked out in the third.

Western Oregon.

Mrs. Caroline M. Willis died at the home of her son-in-law, Mark Hattan, Clackamas county, on the morning of the 18th, of consumption. Deceased came to Oregon in 1853 and settled with her family on the Molalla river. Mrs. Willis emigrated from the state of Iowa but was a southern [illegible] birth.

Mr. Philip Foster of Eagle creek, Clackamas county, is dangerously ill and not expected to live very long. He is one of our oldest farmers, having settled in the county in 1843.

School superintendent Curtis Baird of Oregon City has been busy for several days past apportioning the school fund, which is $[illegible]. The number of inhabitants in the county between 4 and 20 is 4525, nearly 400 more than a year ago. The sum of $[illegible] is therefore allowed to each person in the county liable to attend school.

Oregon City Courier: Farmers are busy plowing and getting in the spring crop—oats, wheat, peas, [illegible] A few are handicapped on account of the loss of their work horses by the prevailing sickness. Some farms have lost as much as $1000 in horses during the winter. All have to report the fall wheat in excellent condition.

Wednesday morning T. H. Fisk, an aged pioneer, died at his home on Mill creek, near Sheridan. Deceased has for years been afflicted with paralysis, which caused his death.

Mrs. Newman, the lady 84 years of age who slipped and fell breaking her leg during the last freeze, died of her injury Sunday night last at Lafayette. She bore up well for a while and it was believed she would walk again, but there was not enough vitality in the aged frame to carry her past the trial, and she was forced to succumb. She leaves a goodly number of descendants to reverence her memory.

Thin hair may be thickened, weak hair strengthened, and the color restored to faded or gray hair, by using Ayer's Hair Vigor.

CHARLES DICKENS.

A Fresh Characterization of the Novelist—Ambition and Vanity—Finer Traits of Character—His Success on the Stage—Personal Appearance and Manner.

[illegible] Dispatch, March 10.

At the hall of the Essex Institute in Salem yesterday afternoon Mr. George Makepeace Towle delivered a new and brilliant lecture on Charles Dickens. In the early part of it he described the appearance of Dickens at the time he first met him in the editorial room of All the Year Round. This was in the year 1868. He declared that [illegible] From behind the plain [illegible] writing table [illegible] a [illegible] figure came forward to greet [illegible] with a bright twinkle of the eye [illegible] sunny smile and [illegible] hearty grasp of the hand. A remarkably youthful figure as it at first appeared to [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] the general impression was that of a [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] He was a face aglow with a bright healthy pink and white bloom, a face which [illegible] [illegible] with heavy lines when in repose [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] a large mouth, about which there seemed always playing a quizzical smile, and a moustache and beard slightly tinged with streaks of gray [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] the broad white [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] features the great beauty of the eyes that attracted and held the visitor [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] sparkled with fun [illegible] [illegible] and [illegible] which quickly [illegible] sympathy, [illegible] [illegible] were brilliant and sparkling [illegible] always to be [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] he was talking, yet which never hardened [illegible] sternness [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] the noble intellectual [illegible] lines and the manly tenderness of the true character.

[illegible] LITERARY CAREER.

Having sketched the boyhood and youth of Dickens [illegible] his literary career [illegible] in 1836 when he [illegible] a short hand reporter [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] afterwards [illegible] the Monthly Magazine [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] the completion of [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] Dickens [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] Bulwer [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] Carlyle [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] Lady Holland [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] Samuel Rogers and [illegible] Talfourd and Mark Lemon [illegible] [illegible] Victor Hugo and Lamartine [illegible] [illegible] Moore with his cheery [illegible]

[illegible] FAME AND [illegible]

Charles Dickens had all the [illegible] [illegible] impulsive nature. [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] by the roars of applause which greeted him when he made a public address or when in his sprightly [illegible] he responded to an after dinner toast. He would light [illegible] his heart when his dramatic performances were cheered to the echo. Allied to this personal vanity was a proper pride in the dignity of his work as a literary man. When the queen [illegible] of this trait of his character invited him to appear at court as an amateur actor he replied that [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] actor where he was not received as a gentleman. In later years the queen was forced to welcome him to Windsor castle as a personal friend, and there grew up between the [illegible] and the illustrious novelist a sentiment of warm mutual esteem. While Charles Dickens was lavish in the expenditure of the fortune acquired by his writings, while he was self indulgent sometimes to excess in his recreations and in the pleasures of the table [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] He never failed to be at his desk at [illegible] o'clock in the morning and to work steadily [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] Nothing had been left undone [illegible]

[illegible] closing the lecture [illegible]

A CELEBRATED WOMAN.

A Retired Belle [illegible] Lead Life—What was her Maiden Name?

[illegible] Correspondence New York World.

Few people know that [illegible] the city of Louisville [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] the most beautiful [illegible] good woman I ever knew. Worth her weight in diamonds. Colonel Dan McCook the evening before he was killed in battle said to a comrade: "I feel sad to-night [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] my old college days in Alabama and the most attractive woman I ever met. [illegible] [illegible] we are both married, but I wish she may never know a sorrow." General Pat Cleburne [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] The battle of Franklin [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] Memphis Avalanche by this lady and was so extensively copied in the [illegible] papers is still remembered.

Brave Cleburne is sleeping
Where [illegible] are weeping
And pale [illegible] falling
[illegible]
Where sad winds are sighing
And sweet [illegible]
To mingle their breath
With the ashes they [illegible], etc.

In 1870 the prince of Wales and suite were in St. Louis. A lovely young [illegible] of Barnum's hotel. [illegible] Lord Lyons [illegible] is exquisite!

For months [illegible] little poems were published in the Louisville Journal and highly praised by its editor, George D. Prentice, [illegible] of her as a remarkable woman, full of genius. Parepa [illegible] heard of her voice, and asked her to sing. The great prima donna threw all her [illegible] in ecstasy and exclaimed: "Madame, what a charm [illegible] [illegible] that voice from the world!"

This wonderful woman with so many gifts has for [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] quiet retirement forgetting and almost forgotten by the world that once [illegible] her [illegible] in a perfect bower of beauty [illegible] adorned by lovely paintings and [illegible] from her own hand [illegible] in European [illegible]

[illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] from her home [illegible] [illegible] southern Utah [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] related many interesting anecdotes of the [illegible] Her husband [illegible] of the [illegible] [illegible] western [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] of ex-United States Senator George Goldthwaite. A name most noted and beloved [illegible] Judge Goldthwaite [illegible] judge of Lake [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] forsaken the [illegible]

Lundborg's Perfume, [illegible]
Lundborg's Perfume, Marechal Niel Rose.
Lundborg's Perfume, Alpine Violet.
Lundborg's Perfume, Lily of the Valley.

PACIFIC COAST.

Terrible Tragedy in a Family in Oakland, California.

FOOT AND MOUTH DISEASE IN UTAH.

Young Findlayson Found Guilty of Murder in the First Degree at Albany—The Patti Excitement Continues—Etc.

The Sharon-Hill Divorce Case.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 20.—In the Sharon-Hill divorce case to-day Miss Hill plaintiff resumed [illegible] she instructed Nelson [illegible] attorney to have Sharon arrested for adultery [illegible] he did it on his own responsibility, never stole Belcher mine papers [illegible] Barnes, counsel for defendant [illegible] she had stolen them. A letter [illegible] Reichert of Wisconsin dated [illegible] 1882 [illegible] plaintiff was [illegible] by the defense, in which Reichert says [illegible] "We have [illegible] patiently for the cards. If [illegible] [illegible] from time [illegible] and I will bring [illegible]" [illegible] Plaintiff continued [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] After the trouble between [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] would never again trouble him but Sharon refused.

Opposition Railroad.

[Special.]—The project of building a railroad through [illegible] to come into competition with the Southern Pacific coast railroad and more [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] has taken definite shape [illegible] [illegible] constructing [illegible] railroad [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] right of way for the new railroad.

[illegible] interested [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] to commence work on the [illegible]

[illegible] have the first [illegible] in operation by [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] to be prepared [illegible] next year we will [illegible] [illegible] which will be our present terminal [illegible] we expect to finally reach San [illegible]

The Opera Furor Continues.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 20.—Special.—The opera [illegible] drink of the whole [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] the first few nights have [illegible] [illegible] advertised [illegible] [illegible] Patti and Gerster will [illegible] [illegible] rival prima [illegible] [illegible] at the same performance [illegible] [illegible] Gerster, whose [illegible] [illegible] wonderful singing is [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] Gerster's first appearance [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

Personal.

[illegible] W. Ayres [illegible] [illegible] Woodward of Portland [illegible]

[illegible] Mrs. Frank Strohan [illegible] [illegible]

[illegible] Miss Kahn will sail for Portland [illegible]

Mr. [illegible] and H. W. Monastes and [illegible] north by the next steamer Rogue and [illegible] much improved in health.

[illegible] Woodward and family returned two days ago from Santa Cruz and Monterey and will remain in the city three or four weeks before going north.

[illegible] of the United States engineer's office, Portland, who has been in the city several weeks will start by the Central Pacific to-night on a [illegible] leave of absence. He will spend most of the time in Washington, whither he goes direct.

Terrible Tragedy at Oakland.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 20.—Yesterday Mrs. Schaeffer, wife of [illegible] Schaeffer, a saloon keeper in Oakland, while in a fit of temporary insanity [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] and on the return of her husband [illegible] her lying on the floor with a carving knife in her hand and her throat cut from ear to ear. She was still conscious but unable to speak as the windpipe had been severed. He also found an infant girl [illegible] lying dead in the bed with its [illegible] Schaeffer was almost driven insane and [illegible] a revolver and attempted to shoot himself but was restrained by a police officer. The news spread in the neighborhood and people soon flocked to the scene. Among them was a French woman [illegible] in witnessing the terrible [illegible] [illegible] spasms and it is thought has lost her reason.

Shot by Vigilantes.

Chronicle's Modesto, Cal., Special: Robbins and Doane, citizens of Modesto who were accused but acquitted of having outraged two girls aged 11 and 13 years, daughters of J. N. McCrellis, were notified some days ago by San Joaquin Regulators' vigilance committee to leave town or suffer death. Owing to the shameless way in which the two girls gave their evidence on trial McCrellis' family was included in the order of banishment. Robbins and McCrellis family departed immediately. Doane delayed and fifteen masked men visited his place last night and shot him dead on sight.

"Ben B. A." to Trot Saturday.

[Special.]—The meeting between George Leaby's Oregon horse Ben B. A. and the well known local trotter Vandalite, so often postponed on account of bad weather, has been fixed for Saturday, and will take place at the Bay District park. The match is for $[illegible] a side, best three in five. Vandalite's record is [illegible] but Leaby is confident that he can win with Ben B. A., who continues to improve.

Mr. Morison's Inspection.

[Special.]—George S. Morison has just completed his inspection of the O. R. & N. Company's property at this port and proceeded south on the Queen of the Pacific to complete his labors preparatory to returning east and reporting to the head office at New York. He expressed himself as highly satisfied with the property and the good care taken of the interests here.

Emerson's Minstrels Sail for Portland.

Special.—Emerson's minstrels closed a season of two and one half years at the Standard theater last night—the longest season in the history of minstrelsy. The company sailed for Portland at 10 A. M. to-day. Every member of the company as it has been organized for months past will go north. Manager Stockham will remain in the city a week or two longer.

The State of California.

Special.—The State of California got off an hour late this morning. The wind was blowing a gale and there is prospect of a rough trip. There has not been such excitement on the departure of the steamer for months. Every stateroom was full and the steerage was crowded, in the latter there being a large delegation for the Coeur d'Alene mines.

Shipping Intelligence.

Cleared—Steamer St. Paul, Oonalaska, Alaska Commercial Company. Sailed—Steamer State of California, Dobney, Astoria; ship Annie H. Smith, Brown, Port Townsend; ship Harvester, Taylor, Nanaimo.

To be Buried at Portland.

[Special.]—The body of Young Ross, who died in the southern part of the state a few days ago is on the State of California accompanied by his wife and sister. It will be buried at Portland.

At Popular Prices.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 20.—A grand Patti concert will be given at the Mechanics pavilion on March 27 at popular prices.

Death.

[Special.]—Professor Davis, phrenologist, died to-night. He has two sons and a daughter in Oregon.

Granted a Respite.

SALINAS, Cal., March 20.—At the request of the superior judge and the district attorney of this county, Governor Stoneman has granted a respite of three months to Solomon Torres, who was to be hanged on Friday next. The testimony of Torres would be required should the supreme court order a new trial for [illegible] who was convicted of murder last week. Soto has given notice of appeal through his attorney on the ground that on his first trial the court had dismissed a disagreeing jury on a non-judicial day, hence he claims that once in jeopardy his second trial was illegal. Awaiting a decision on this point, the interference of the executive became necessary.

BRITISH COLUMBIA.

News Notes from Victoria.

Dominion government officials have seized 2,500,000 feet of logs cut on the Canadian railway belt by Americans who intended to float the timber to the Sound mills. The spoliation has been going on unchecked for years.

British barkentine Cosmo, lumber laden for Valparaiso, is ready for sea.

Two weeks ago Justice Crease of the supreme court fell through a skylight and dislocated his right shoulder, and yesterday Justice Gray of the same court, walking in a copy [illegible] dislocated his left shoulder. To-day while attempting to stop a runaway horse Justice Gray was thrown down and run over sustaining severe but not dangerous injuries.

STATE DISPATCHES.

Murder in the First Degree.

ALBANY, March 20.—[Special.]—After being out eighteen hours the jury in the murder trial brought in a verdict of murder in the first degree. The prisoner was brought into the courtroom and as the clerk read the verdict the jury [illegible] a change was [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] countenance. The time of pronouncing sentence was set for [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] have moved for a new trial which will be argued to-morrow morning.

ARIZONA.

Held for Manslaughter.

[illegible], March 20.—J. R. Adams [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] was to-day held [illegible] [illegible] for manslaughter. It [illegible] he may be acquitted on the ground of [illegible]

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MR. TILDEN AND "REFORM."

Mr. Samuel Tilden talks with feeble voice, but he talks interminably. Every person who goes to see him comes away with a long story. His voice is scarcely above a whisper. It is necessary to draw very near to catch his words, but his ideas flow with rapidity and clearness, and wisdom herself sits upon his lips. The burden of every discourse is that he will not be a candidate, that he cannot allow the use of his name because he has not strength to undertake the herculean task of reforming the government, and that the party must go into the contest with a candidate who can bear the strain of correcting the abuses that have crept into public affairs during the misrule of twenty years. Every visitor to the mansion in Cipher Alley brings away the same pathetic tale, which is told and retold to the country with various embellishments of speech, according to the genius of the several reporters through whom Mr. Tilden is revealed. Thus, to the New York *Sun's* reporter the sage mournfully remarked: "The democratic party might as well call upon Thomas Jefferson in his grave as to call upon me to lead it now." This, in the hands of the reporter of the Atlanta *Constitution* dropped to the more prosaic statement: "I have served the party until I am unable to undergo the exertions which, in case of election, I should have to make. It can be done without me. I could not stand the physical effort." Here is an improvement, if improvement were possible, upon Mr. Seymour's repeated and positive refusals in 1868. "Your candidate I cannot be," was then the phrase of democratic politics; yet the author of it became the candidate, and not only so, but is living to this day. It is very noticeable that all the journals that obtain those special reports from Mr. Tilden begin, immediately upon printing them, to cry out afresh for "the old ticket." What can it mean?

Reformation of the government, redemption of it from the misrule of twenty years, is the task which Mr. Tilden says his party must attempt. That reform is necessary in many directions is unquestionable. But the composition and history of the democratic party are such as to raise doubts whether it is the party to which the country can most rationally look for reform. All its methods are dominated by a partisanship more intense than that which controls the republican party. It should be no offense to say that there is less independence and discrimination among its voters, for the remark would be perfectly true. It rests its strength mainly on the possession of the votes of sixteen states, whose allegiance to it neither bad leadership nor any mistakes of policy or conduct can disturb. Its idea of reforming the government is simply to put a democratic partisan into every public position. Beyond this it can agree on nothing whatever, as its course in the present congress plainly shows. Mr. Tilden is in error. Feeble, as he doubtless is from advancing age, he would be perfectly able to introduce this system of "reform"—the only reform he would think of introducing were he twenty years younger. Whether that kind of reform—taking into consideration the make-up of the democratic party—is what the country wants, is doubtful enough. With better purposes the democratic party would almost certainly win, but a mere rush for the offices fails to kindle the enthusiasm of the independent voter, and, therefore, to carry him into the democratic party.

ANOTHER WORD.

Should Mr. Wilson be re-elected school director, will he be in an easier and more satisfactory position than before he resigned? He can be re-elected only by default on the part of those whose action at the school meeting offended him and prompted his resignation. And now, supposing that default to occur, what will be the further consequence? Will Mr. Wilson and his colleagues deem themselves thoroughly vindicated, treat the proceedings had at the annual meeting as null, and go on with their seven mill tax scheme? This is the logic of his candidacy for re-election. It means this or nothing. On the part of those citizens who protested at the meeting against the extravagant methods and management of the board, there will be most culpable indifference to an important matter if they do not, by proposing some proper man as a candidate, take action to sustain what they did at the meeting. What was done then and there was their own affair, not THE OREGONIAN'S. This paper had not suggested that action, and in all that it has said about the methods employed in the schools it has talked from an independent standpoint. It was not responsible in any way for what was done at the school meeting, nor was the meeting in any way responsible for its utterances upon any of the points or questions discussed. We make these statements to show those who refused to vote the seven mill tax that it is not "THE OREGONIAN'S fight," as some have said, but their own. If now they choose to permit the election of Mr. Wilson, are prepared to see their instructions given at the meeting disregarded, and willing moreover to take the slap in the face which it is proposed by the directors to give them for their temerity in not voting without question all the money that was asked, the indignity will fall upon themselves, not upon THE OREGONIAN. Even the seven mill tax will not complete the new building by many thousands of dollars, and under continuance of the management we have had during past years the seven mill tax now demanded will go up speedily to nine, eleven or fifteen mills, when of course the machine will break down of its own weight. The school system as conducted here is a hobby, and the inevitable tendency of all hobbies to extremes is too well known to require particular remark. The school machine needs a restraining or balancing power just as much as the political machine, the whisky ring or the pretensions of an iron-clad ecclesiasticism. They who are wholly or chiefly absorbed in any one thing, by the common consent of well-balanced people, are "cranks," and their entire and undisputed ascendency in the matter to which they devote themselves always leads to extreme and absurd conclusions.

The Alaska Commercial Company of San Francisco is a monopoly which undoubtedly needs investigating and abolishing as soon as possible. It is too late in the nineteenth century for the government to make such grants of exclusive rights and privileges to any company, and unless there is evidence to the contrary, it is to be presumed that any company enjoying such a grant of power in a distant region will abuse it, more or less. This has been the history of such monopolies as the East India Company, the Hudson's Bay Company and others. Such monopolies also usually breed political corruption at their source. There are various rumors afloat respecting the Alaska company. Many of the murders in Alaska are suspected of being instigated by the agents of the company. Whether an investigating committee of congress would be able to find out the truth about these matters or not may be doubtful, but there can be no doubt that the resources of Alaska ought all to be open to the enjoyment of any enterprising citizen of this country who may wish to engage in any legitimate business there, and it ought not to be necessary to begin an investigation to prevent the renewal of the present lease of that company.

All the members of the president's cabinet officially testify that the results of the new law for civil service appointments by competitive examination, on the basis of actual merit, have thus far proved very satisfactory as regards the character and efficiency of the appointees, and also as regards the measure of relief it has given to the heads of departments and bureaus from the constant importunities of the mob of office seekers.

INDEPENDENT MOVEMENTS.

The new movement of the colored men, intended so far as possible to be analagous to the movement started by the independent white republicans, and different from it mainly in setting on foot measures of practical benefit to the great mass of colored voters, is another evidence of the fact that the people do not have much confidence in the leaders of either party. A representative of the colored men says in reference to their convention, called at Pittsburg April 29, that it will be the first move towards breaking down that blind partisan allegiance which has been to our people a veritable mockery. "They have seen," it says, "that for years two parties have tried to use them for selfish purposes, and they propose now to take an independent stand, and to make advances designed to insure the greatest good to the race independent of partisan considerations."

There is not time enough now for a third party to organize with any hope of electing its candidate for the presidency this year. But it is possible for the independents to accomplish what was done in the ninth congressional district in Massachusetts in 1882. They can go outside the parties and make nominations representative of the ideas which they desire to have carried out in the executive and legislative departments of the government. Such a movement resulted in the election of Colonel Lyman to congress, and by making nominations in advance of the party conventions the independents can compel one party or the other to accept them or make decent nominations of their own. It seems improbable now that either of the two great parties in the coming presidential contest will, of their own accord, offer the people of the country any sharply defined issue. Both parties will split on the tariff, the civil service, the coinage of silver and the currency, and talk differently in different sections. The sole issue between them will be the control of the offices. A democrat in Washington is reported as saying: "We don't care much about being right. What we want is to have a president. After we get the president and congress we can afford to be right and revise the tariff." This will be the plea of both parties, substantially. They will appeal for our votes this time, and promise to attend to the work of reform just after election. This is so well understood by the colored people, as well as the white reformers, that they can take no other position with dignity than that proposed by them. Success of course cannot be anticipated at once, but by making a stand for their principles they will gain respect, and besides they will influence the nominations of both the great parties. Reform within the party will not succeed because so many of the leaders of both parties are selfish and unpatriotic. One makes everything subservient to the railroad he is interested in or attorney for, another is the representative of the Standard Oil Company, of the Alaska Commercial Company, or the sugar monopoly, and politics is simply a method by which they seek to advance these special interests rather than the greatest good of the greatest number of people. The reforms in the tariff, in the civil service, in the relations of labor to monopolies of whatever sort, will not be fully realized until the people form a truly democratic party. This party might be soon formed if there were a few self-sacrificing and able leaders in every state to direct and wisely control the popular feeling of distrust for both the parties, which at present makes the support of either of them scarcely better than a choice between two evils.

The superior honesty and patriotism of southern democrats is shown in the fact that the proposition to nominate Henry B. Payne for president is so distasteful to them. They cannot swallow such a dose of oil, while the northern democrats do not suffer any pangs in accepting him as a possible candidate. With all their political faults the southern people, whether now living in the south or in Oregon, have a good many old-fashioned notions of honesty and decency, which many northern people of both parties do not possess. There is a conservative spirit among these people, old ideas of the objects for which governments were ordained, that would be extremely valuable, as an allied force to the public enterprise of the north, and it is to be regretted that the elements in the two sections, which ought to work in general harmony, are now antagonizing each other.

Colonel Godfrey Weitzel, brevet major general, whose death was announced in our telegraph columns yesterday, commanded a corps in the army of the James. His troops were the first to enter Richmond and one of his staff officers ran up the union flag over the surrendered capitol. Colonel Weitzel was a prominent engineer and had charge of several important government works, notably the Louisville and Portland canal around the falls of the Ohio and the St. Mary's Falls canal in Michigan. He was a member of the board of United States engineers which in 1880, prepared the present plans for work on the Cascades canal and spent two weeks there with Captain Chas. F. Powell, then in charge of the work.

"Bob" Lincoln appears to be everybody's candidate for the vice presidency. It is Blaine and Lincoln in Ohio and Pennsylvania, Arthur and Lincoln in New York, Edmunds and Lincoln in Massachusetts. A report from the last-named state says that the delegation will be solid for Edmunds and Lincoln, and that it will so clearly represent the great majority of the republicans of the state that it will be secured without the use of any party machinery. Logan and Lincoln would be impossible, of course; hence Logan is almost the only man named for the presidency without the addition of Lincoln for the vice presidency.

A New Orleans grand jury condemns the pocket pistol, and mourns that "an unhealthy public sentiment aids and abets the violators of the law, and prevents the police from suppressing the practice." In Georgia, a state which is coming out from the tombstone age faster than any other southern state, the Atlanta *Constitution* reports "a great improvement so far as the carrying of concealed weapons is concerned. Some of the young men still carry them, but the better bred young men are gradually leaving the hip pocket to the criminal classes."

The San Francisco papers do not speak in the most exalted terms of the members of the California legislature. One paper is unfeeling enough to remark that the members, "many of whom have for months past filled the offices of surveyors of public buildings and sidewalks with no salary attached, will hail this extra session with delight." With such material there is a fine field for the exercise of Huntington's talent for "switching back" statesmen, or "caving them off the bank." These sidewalk inspectors are in luck.

Mr. Watterson of the Louisville *Courier-Journal* says, "Instead of putting it last I would put it first, thus: 'We demand a tariff for revenue only.'" He then goes on to explain what this means, and says: "The tariff is the one line on which parties may divide. The republicans are protectionists or nothing. The democrats are free-traders or nothing." This division is erroneous as to both parties; but the remark shows the trouble in the democratic camp.

The Kentucky legislature is endeavoring to discover who drank the 1100 gallons of whisky that was consumed in the state insane asylum last year. "There is a horrible suspicion," observes a sympathetic exchange, "that the patients drank it, and the sentiment of the commonwealth is against the waste of good liquor on people who have not sufficient intellect to enjoy it."

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SAPSIN, W. T., March 18, 1884.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE OREGONIAN:

In THE OREGONIAN of March 7 there appeared an article on the land policy of the Northern Pacific, setting forth the reasons of the advance in the price of railroad land. The article referred to says: "Only a small part of the land within the grant is really valuable." This statement is a fact, and it is a fact which should be properly stated to all those who come here intending to make homes for themselves. But does the railroad company admit the poor quality and worthlessness of the greater portion of this land when they advertise it in the east in glowing terms to lure hither the poor immigrants, many of whom spend all they have to get here, and then find want and misery staring them in the face—land double the price it is advertised to be, and nothing like that which is described in the pamphlets sent broadcast over the Atlantic states? Of course they do not, but they admit it when they want an excuse for raising the price of their land. The next excuse for raising the price of their land is that "it has proven a bar to speculators; that in a short time speculators would have bought up all the valuable land at $2 60 an acre, and that the interest of the company and the country demanded this change." That they were obliged to raise the price of land to bar speculators is so decidedly thin that we wonder at their offering it at all. In the summer and fall of 1882, before they raised the price of their land, the N. P. R. R. Company ordered their agents not to sell more than a quarter section to any one man, and that only to actual settlers. There was a clause in the contract compelling settlement on the land within ninety days from the date of purchase. This proved an effectual bar to speculators and THE OREGONIAN at the time stated the company intended to enforce this provision. That this was effectual in barring speculators can be proven by many who attempted to buy large tracts, among whom might be mentioned Messrs. Washburne and Lee of Junction, Oregon. That the "interest" of the company demanded the change we admit; that is, if they can sell the land at present prices, but that the "interest" of the country demanded it is ridiculous in the extreme. At the time the company limited purchasers to 160 acres, they said they did this for the benefit of actual settlers. (They always do work for the "benefit" of the settlers; they are a sort of "guardian angel" for the settler.) But to us it looks about like this: This land was being bought up quite rapidly, and the company, by raising the price of good land to double or treble what it was, and rating the poor land (that which is not worth $1 an acre) at from $2 60 to $4 an acre, would receive far more for their land. In order to get the price on this land it was necessary to grade it. To do this would take some time, and in order to have more land to sell at the advanced price, the company limited purchasers to a quarter section and compelled actual settlement. This is plain, for no sooner was the land graded and the new price set, than they abolished that clause of limitation and settlement, and would sell one man a whole township if he wished it. It may be that in other localities poor land is rated lower than the original price of $2 60 an acre, but in this vicinity all land of the company is raised to such a price as to be beyond the reach of the poor man, considering the difficulty of getting it under cultivation, the high price of farming utensils, groceries, etc., and the uncertainty of a crop in the uplands. By the new freight rates the railroad company is simply imposing a tax on the settlers of the interior to build up Portland. It is a tax as unjust as any that England ever placed upon her American colonies, and the strong hand of congress is all that will bring relief. In speaking of former rates, Mr. Muir says: "They have not worked satisfactorily to the merchants of the interior, to the Portland merchants, nor indeed to the companies." Take notice that in this connection Mr. Muir does not mention the mass of consumers in the interior on whom the whole burden of high rates fall. He never thinks of their interest in this respect. They are of little import in his estimation. But the merchants of Portland and the railroad company seem to be the main beneficiaries of the new system.

We believe the statement concerning the merchants of the interior to be in part false. All of the merchants with whom I have conversed denounce the new rates as unjust. But it makes very little difference to them, for if freight advances one cent a pound on sugar, they charge their customers that much more. Thus the new rates have caused them to make an advance on their goods of from 16 to 25 per cent. By this you see what a "blessing" it is to have a railroad company for our "protector." In conclusion, we would say that the Coeur d'Alene mining excitement, and the efforts of the railroad company and speculators in these small towns to "boom" this country, will cause an immigration to pour into eastern Washington at a rate that will bring disaster, sorrow and hardship to many. Men who come here with large families and no means will surely see hard times. Wages have always been good here in Lincoln and Spokane counties, but the rush of immigration will have a tendency to bring wages down, while the commodities of life will probably advance.

A. S. MELCHER.

EXPLOSION OF THE STEAMER GAZELLE.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE OREGONIAN:

I notice an article in the *Standard* under the head of "Historical Event" which is incorrect in many particulars. The explosion occurred April 8, 1854. The Gazelle was under the command of Captain Robert Hereford, a Californian. A California company had erected a warehouse on the Linn City side of the river (opposite Oregon City), on the brink of the Willamette falls, for the purpose of transferring freight over the falls, and with a view to controlling the transportation of the Willamette valley. They built the steamer Gazelle.

On the morning of Saturday, April 8, 1854, the steamer Wallamet, Captain Charles Bennett, was lying at the warehouse at Canemah. The Gazelle came over from the "basin" and landed just alongside the Wallamet. She lay there a few minutes, the steam howling from the escape pipe with a deafening roar, and then moved up to her own wharf boat, a hundred yards above.

On the Wallamet we were preparing for breakfast, when a tremendous "boom" told of the explosion of the boilers of the Gazelle. "My God," exclaimed Captain Bennett, "the Gazelle has blown up—man your small boats." And he was not a moment too soon, for already people who had been blown into the river were floating down towards the falls.

I immediately went up to the Gazelle, and the most horrible sight I have ever witnessed was that of the mangled dead, wounded and dying victims. They were cut and torn in every conceivable manner. The pilot of the Wallamet, James Fudge, stepped on board the Gazelle while she was along side the Wallamet, and when the explosion occurred he was blown into the river, the lower part of his spine cut off by a piece of flying iron, death resulting in a few minutes. Over twenty people were killed. The next day the Wallamet went up the river, with George Pease as pilot, and we landed the dead and wounded at almost every landing on the river.

One of the most useful in caring for the dead and dying at Canemah was the Rev. J. L. Parrish of Salem. With coat off and sleeves rolled up, he was a picture of what a brave and useful man can do in such emergencies. Captain Charles Bennett, of the Wallamet, was another brave and true man. He died at the head of his company in a battle with the Indians, near Walla Walla in 1855.

The *Standard* is incorrect in saying that the Gazelle was the first side-wheel boat on the river. The boats of those days were all side-wheel, and that is where the steamboat men of those days made their great mistake. One stern-wheel boat, such as now run the Willamette, would have been a fortune to her owner.

W.

LANDS IN THE KLICKITAT COUNTRY.

HARTLAND, Klickitat County, March 18, 1884.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE OREGONIAN:

I ask for a little space to inform such of your readers as are desirous of making for themselves a home on the fertile prairies of eastern Washington territory or Oregon, where and how to find the same. Many of our immigrants stop at Portland, or at some of the larger towns on Puget sound, before they learn that open lands still subject to homestead entry lie east of the Cascade range of mountains. Others again coming by the all-rail route, over the Northern Pacific railroad, arrive at The Dalles or Portland, disgusted with what is to be seen from the car windows along the route, and by the time they have reached either of the last named towns they are so disappointed with the country that many immediately purchase tickets for their starting point in the eastern states, with no good report for this fair land of ours. There are yet large tracts of good prairie country to settle on each side of the Columbia river from The Dalles up to Wallula, back from the river say ten to fifty miles. Timber is much more convenient on the Washington territory side, especially to those settling near the river.

High prairie, ten miles northeast from The Dalles, is a beautiful tract of land lying in the lower part of Klickitat valley, and up the same some ten miles from the junction of the Klickitat river with the Columbia. It is easy of access from the Klickitat landing, being due east some ten miles. The advantages of this part are plenty of timber; water can be had in shallow wells in abundance, and a rich prairie soil heavily carpeted with bunch grass, while less than one fourth of the railroad land is taken. The school lands are all yet for sale, and some few desirable quarter sections of government land are subject to entry, while those desiring to buy a tract partly improved can do so here, as is always the case in new countries. This is possibly most desirable to those having a family, as claims can be bought for the cost of the improvements on the same.

This valley is some thirty miles long and ten wide, interspersed with large groves of timber, mostly pine and oak. I can recommend this part for stock raising, as well as farming. To my knowledge some five hundred horses lived on this prairie all winter on bunch grass alone, without shelter, and no losses as far as I can learn. What we want to do is to inform the emigrant that as yet our railroad companies have not built a road running to the back door of a ranch, improved and in running order, for them to take possession of at once as a homestead, but that along the Columbia river the road is built in a canyon, so that the passenger sees nothing of the broad, rich prairies just over that rock wall, or mountain ridge, back a few miles on either side.

J. H. P.

The School Question in Wisconsin.

Fond du Lac Journal.

One of the Oshkosh school commissioners, Mr. Bauman, has presented to the board a resolution asking that the high school as such shall cease to exist. His reasons, given at some length, are substantially, that the results accomplished are vastly out of proportion to the cost. That while nearly 3000 school children were accommodated in the lower grades at a cost of $20,000 a year, it took $10,000 to give 300 pupils high school advantages, and that of this small number the yearly graduating class only averaged about 7 pupils. He claimed further that while this large sum was expended on the high school, some 600 pupils were attending denominational schools, for lack of accommodation in the lower public grades.

The proportionate rate of expense applies equally well to any city with graded schools. The fact of the matter is that any city attempts more than its duty when it gives at public cost more than a well grounded elementary education. The tendency is increasing from year to year to crowd college courses into the public schools. It would be more just to the public and the pupils to expend all school money in giving a thorough elementary groundwork to all children than to put the favored few who can spend time enough through the hotbed course of the higher grades.

But to touch upon the abuses of the public school system is like a politician brought face to face with a soldier's pension bill—the hue and cry against opposition is allowed to drown the practical and common sense way of treating the matter.

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UNKNOWN DISEASE AMONG HORSES.

NORTH YAMHILL, March 18, 1884.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE OREGONIAN:

A disease is prevalent among horses in this vicinity and also in many other places in this valley, which is called staggers by the farmers. A great many horses are sick, and many die of this disease. From what I have seen of it I think it is a sort of spinal meningitis. The animal when first attacked staggers around; after spasms set in, which increase in violence, and the animal becomes cramped, and sometimes remains in this condition for weeks before he dies. I have examined several of the horses after death, and I found the brain in every case natural, but the [illegible] of the spine very much softened and congested and the cavity of the spine filled with a yellow serum. Will you state through your valuable paper the name of the disease, what it really is and its nature, and the proper treatment and oblige

MANY FARMERS.

[The disease alluded to has been heard of at many places in the valley, but no cases have occurred here as yet, and the horse men of this city can give no information in regard to it. It is hardly probable that any one could tell what is the cause of the disease, and only a skilled veterinary surgeon could tell what it is or what the proper treatment would be.]

A Conundrum.

New York Herald.

What is the use of cruisers without guns? What is a man-of-war good for if she does not possess the necessary elements of an armed ship? Yet congress has voted against an appropriation to supply the new cruisers with guns. As it is known that we need these ships, and as a man-of-war without guns is an absurdity, this is a queer proceeding for a democratic congress.

MEETING NOTICES.

Plasterers' Protective Union. The regular meeting for election of officers of [illegible] Lodge No. [illegible] will be held on this Thursday evening, March [illegible], 1884. A full attendance is requested. [illegible], President. [illegible], Recording Secretary.

Portland Lodge No. 55, A. F. & A. M.—Regular meeting this (Friday) evening at 7:30. [illegible], Secretary.

Taylor-street M. E. Church. The official Board will meet at 7:30 o'clock this evening. A prompt and full attendance is requested.

Advertisements such as "Wants," "Help Wanted," "To Let," "For Sale," etc., will be inserted for ten cents per line first insertion, five cents per line thereafter. No insertion for less than 3 [illegible], and cash must be paid at the counter.

Deaths, Marriages and Births fifty cents each. Resolutions of Condolence ten cents per line. All transient advertising payable in advance.

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FURNISHED ROOMS—RENT REASONABLE; [illegible] Pine street, between Third and Fourth. 21mt

FOR SALE—IN LOTS TO SUIT, ABOUT 10,000 second-hand flour sacks [illegible] and [illegible] sacks. [illegible], 42 Washington street. 21m8

WANTED—A WOMAN EXPERIENCED IN cooking and general housework at 194 Yamhill, corner Eighth street. 21mt

FOR RENT—UNFURNISHED ROOMS SUITable for housekeeping; [illegible]; cheap; use of bath. Address B. C., this office. 20mt

FOR SALE—SHARES IN THE FRANKLIN Building Association. [illegible] THOMPSON, room 7 First National Bank. 21mt

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FURNISHED ROOMS TO LET SUITABLE FOR light housekeeping, 185 Washington street, bet. East and West Park streets. 20tf

SITUATION WANTED BY A YOUNG MARried man as office or shipping clerk or porter; can make himself generally useful; is a good penman; best of references. Address "B. A.," Oregonian office.

WANTED—DESIRABLE ROOMS AND BOARD by four gentlemen; will take possession April 1st. Address "Boarders," Box 622 P. O.

ANYONE KNOWING THE WHEREABOUTS of C. A. Carlson, who wandered away from St. Vincent's Hospital on March 19th, will confer a favor by sending word to the Hospital. 21mt

WANTED—SECOND-HAND SAFE, FROM 100 to 500 pounds. Leave word at [illegible] DAVIS & CO. [illegible] to-day. 21mt

FOR SALE—[illegible] WILL BUY [illegible] OF EASTly improved land [illegible] miles from the city. [illegible] [illegible]. LEE & YOUNG, 3 Stark street. 21m

LOST—DRAFT NO. [illegible] BY R. NEWCOMB, Grand Recorder A. O. U. W., on J. R. Moe [illegible] Grand Treasurer, for $[illegible], in favor of Samuel [illegible], administrator estate of [illegible], Victoria, B. C. Payment has been stopped, and the finder will confer a favor by leaving it at the banking house of LADD & TILTON. March 20, 1884. 21mt

SPANISH LANGUAGE AND LITERATURE. The relations between Mexico and the United States make the Spanish language a necessity. English, French or Spanish persons whose early education has been neglected will do well to communicate with the Professor. All communications strictly confidential. Persons desiring to learn the language are [illegible] PROF. DE LERY, [illegible] Hotel.

BUSINESS FOR SALE. A FIRST CLASS GENeral dry goods business in a [illegible] town in Oregon. Ill health is the only reason for selling, as the business is a very excellent and highly profitable one and is paying largely. For particulars apply to [illegible] GARDNER, Evening Telegram office, corner First and Stark, Portland. 21m8

SALE OF ENGINE HOUSES AT A REGULAR meeting of the Board of Fire Commissioners, [illegible] February [illegible], 1884, an order was made to dispose by public auction engine houses Nos. 3, 5 and 6, formerly used by volunteer department. In conformity with said order, the Fire Commissioners will, on the [illegible] day of April, 1884, at the hour of 10 A. M., at office of Commissioners, 21 Union block, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, U. S. gold coin, the following property: Engine house and lot known as Company No. 3, situate south side of Washington street, between Second and Third; house and lot known as Company No. 5, situate east side Fourth street, between Mill and Montgomery streets; house and lot known as Company No. 6, situate on the side of [illegible] street, between Thirteenth and Fourteenth streets. Subject to following (Sec. 10, senate bill 123, legislative assembly 1882): "That all sales of real property made by Fire Commissioners shall be subject to the approval of the Common Council, evidenced by a majority vote." Upon such sales being made by Commissioners and approved by Common Council, the Mayor and auditor and clerk of the city of Portland shall execute, acknowledge and deliver to purchaser or purchasers good and sufficient deeds of conveyance.

HENRY ACKERMAN,
GEO. L. STORY,
JAMES LOTAN,
Commissioners.

[SEAL.]

Attest: WM. L. EPPINGER, Sec'y.

Postponement.

Notice is hereby given that above sale is hereby postponed until Thursday, May 1, 1884, same hour.

HENRY ACKERMAN,
GEO. L. STORY,
JAMES LOTAN,
Commissioners.

Attest: WM. L. EPPINGER, Sec'y.

LUNCH!

ON SUNDAY, FROM 2 TO 7 P. M., AT MR. T. J. Hardy's, N. W. corner Second and Lincoln, by the ladies of the Charitable Club. A full attendance of those charitably inclined is desired. Mrs. N. HUGHEY, Mrs. H. [illegible] HARDY, Mrs. C. R. HOFFMAN, Mrs. C. OSGOOD. 2 n8

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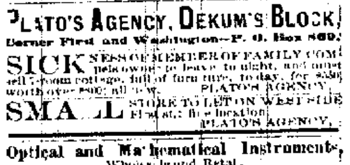

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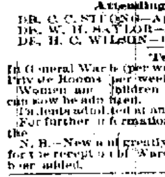

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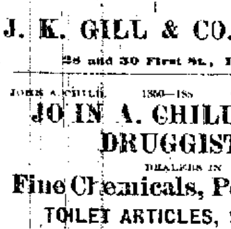

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SPECIAL NOTICES.

Notice to Taxpayers.

MULTNOMAH COUNTY TAXES WILL BE DElinquent March 31st. Those interested will please take notice that after that date the costs of collection will be added. GEO. C. SEARS, Sheriff.

$6000 TO LOAN ON IMPROVED real estate. Address, stating security, to W., P. O. box 18, Portland.

$3000 TO LOAN FOR A TERM OF ONE year, on city property. Apply to [illegible] RICE, No. 5 Ainsworth's building, cor. 2d and Salmon.

NOTICE, JOURNEYMEN BRICKLAYERS—You are invited to attend a meeting to be held at Washington [illegible] hall, on First street between Ash and Pine, on next Friday, March 21, at 8 P. M. sharp. [illegible]

VANCOUVER FERRY—THE MULTNOMAH Railway Co.'s steam ferry boat, Veto No. 2 has resumed hourly trips across Columbia river to Vancouver. W. H. FOSTER, Master.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING—THE ANNUAL meeting of the stockholders of the Oregon Furniture Manufacturing Co. will be held at the company's office, No. 208 First street between Taylor and Salmon streets, Portland, Oregon, on Wednesday, March 26, 1884, at 2 P. M., for the purpose of electing a board of directors for the ensuing year and transacting such other business as may properly come before a stockholders' meeting. WM. KAPUS, Secretary. Portland, Or., March 13, 1884.

ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE—NOTICE IS HEREby given that the undersigned will receive bids until March 29, at noon, at the office of City Brewery, for the cigar stand, with stock and fixtures, contained therein, and situate No. 160 First street, Portland, formerly occupied by William [illegible], deceased. P. WAGNER, Administrator.

CARPENTERS, TAKE NOTICE.

ALL CARPENTERS ARE HEREBY WARNED to keep away from Victoria, as the carpenters are on a strike for a reduction of labor to nine hours for a day's work. J. [illegible], Sec. Victoria Union. [illegible]

OREGON & CALIFORNIA RAILROAD CO.

NOTICE OF STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING—Stockholders are hereby notified that the annual meeting of the stockholders of this company will be held at the office of the company, corner F and Front streets in the city of Portland, county of Multnomah, state of Oregon, on Tuesday, the 8th day of April next, at 10 o'clock A. M., for the purpose of electing directors for the ensuing year and such other business as may legally come before the meeting. GEO. H. ANDREWS, Secretary. Portland, Or., March 8, 1884.

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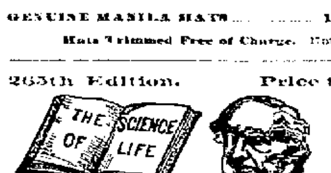

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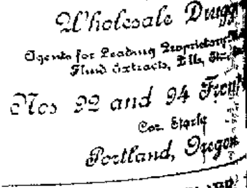

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PORTLAND March 20, [illegible] P. M.

Place of observation	Height of Barom.	Change last 24 hours	Ther.	Wind Direction	Rain fall Inches	State of weather
[illegible]	30.08	-.08	47	Calm	00	Clear
[illegible]	30.13	-.14	46	Calm	00	Clear
[illegible]	30.07	-.12	46	Calm	00	Clear
[illegible]	30.05	-.10	43	N	00	Clear
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[illegible]	30.00	-.02	49	N	00	Clear
[illegible]	30.02	-.14	47	W	00	Clear
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	42	Calm	10	Clear

[illegible] thermometer, 50 max 65

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The Oregonian can be seen at the following places: New York City—E. C. Bucklin, eastern agent, Tribune building [illegible] offices of the Oregonian & Thomas McCormick [illegible] Philadelphia—N. W. Ayer & Son, Eighth and [illegible] Washington—Public Library [illegible] Washington, D. C.—Library of Congress [illegible] St. Paul—Pioneer-Press office, or traffic office of [illegible] offices of Post and Advertiser [illegible] Farrar & Sons, Olive st. [illegible] Voelker & Co.

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Mails closed at 6 A. M., 3:30 and 9 P. M. South [illegible] and Eastern mails close at 5:45 [illegible] M. South and Lower Co[illegible] Westside at 6 A. M. [illegible] and Cascades, at midnight.

The Oregonian, containing the annual [illegible] may still be had at the publication office.

CITY.

[illegible] OF CHINESE GAMBLING AND OPIUM [illegible].—The number of fan tan games in the [illegible] quarter has increased greatly within the [illegible] months, and scarcely a building there can [illegible] in which one or more games are not run. [illegible] the games have become so numerous [illegible] the fan tan has grown monotonous, and many [illegible] have taken to the seductive game of [illegible]. A faro game has also been started for the [illegible] of the Chinese. It is run by a fellow [illegible] Friedlander, alias "Pale Faced Harry," the [illegible] skin is his only claim to the title of [illegible]. Connected with it is a fan tan game, [illegible] which is a white woman, whose husband, a gambler assists her. The three dens [illegible] specimens of the Caucasian race are [illegible]. A placard in Chinese characters [illegible] outside their establishment, states that [illegible] by Bang Ah Sho and that he has [illegible] the bank, which the Chinese population are [illegible] to come and win if they can. The place [illegible] and yields a handsome profit, [illegible] Friedland having within the last three [illegible] cleared $3000. As arrests for opium [illegible] are no longer made, the vice is practiced to [illegible] extent, and parties enjoying a long draw [illegible] at every turn in Chinatown day or night.

[illegible] FREEDOM.—Jim Harris, one of [illegible] who was captured at Astoria and [illegible] to this city by Deputy Sheriff Powell [illegible] yesterday upon a charge that had been [illegible] against him in Justice Bushwiler's court [illegible] examination and was held to appear before [illegible] jury. His bonds were fixed at $500 but [illegible] immediately furnished the young man was [illegible] in the county jail. Later in the day the [illegible] bonds were procured, but the committing [illegible] could not be found, so Harris passed [illegible] night in jail. The district attorney having [illegible] information leading him to believe that [illegible] Harris regained his freedom he would immedi[illegible] leave the state, and this was the object in [illegible] to have his bail fixed at a low figure, and [illegible] that there were several other charges [illegible] against the prisoner, took measures to [illegible] his release on the stated bonds. Warrants [illegible] in other courts, and to-day when [illegible] released he will find himself held [illegible] is the grip of the law that will [illegible] eventually take him to the penitentiary.

[illegible] STOLEN AND RECAPTURED.—Captain [illegible] who resides about a mile from Barlow's on [illegible] road, found on looking into his chicken [illegible] Wednesday morning that all his chickens [illegible] and four high-prized Pekin ducks, had [illegible] during the night. He suspected a China[illegible] of having scooped his fowls. He [illegible] his neighbor, Mr. Barlow, of his loss and [illegible] who was starting for the city, promised [illegible] lookout for the poultry. When the train [illegible] Canby, a Chinaman came on board [illegible] in which were two dozen chickens [illegible] ducks. Mr. Barlow asked where he [illegible] and was told that they were purchased [illegible]. He replied that they were stolen [illegible] would have the thief arrested when he [illegible]. But when the train arrived here the [illegible] and Mr. Barlow took the coop and [illegible] to Captain Willis who has gained [illegible] possession, and his fowls, having [illegible] will now probably settle down to the [illegible] of every-day life.

FINED AS A WIFE BEATER.—Henry Isensee [illegible] in the police court yesterday [illegible] of beating and abusing his wife. The poor [illegible] was called as a witness, and exhibited [illegible] and arm black and blue from beating [illegible] and policeman Dyer acted [illegible]. The next witness called was a Swede [illegible] and Eaton had to give it up. As she [illegible] words of English, Mr. Mulkey, by [illegible] questions, succeeded in obtaining all the [illegible] from her, much to her surprise [illegible] made a long speech, but carefully avoided [illegible] in beating his wife. When pinned down [illegible] that he had whipped her. The judge [illegible] that this man had been up there several [illegible] same charge, and it appeared that he [illegible] man to be at large. He sentenced him [illegible] of $50 or go to the county jail for twenty [illegible] went to jail.

DAMAGES BY RAILROAD BLASTING.—The suit of [illegible] vs. Montgomery & Co., which was on trial [illegible] in the state circuit court, was brought by [illegible] to recover the amount of damages which [illegible] done to his farm by the defendants [illegible] the Kalama branch of the Northern [illegible] he claims that great quantities [illegible] earth were thrown upon his land and [illegible] and in consequence of which the [illegible] depreciated in value and in some [illegible] for the purposes of tillage. The [illegible] and when the case was given to [illegible] court adjourned. Soon after the jury [illegible] they had previously been instructed, [illegible] sealed verdict which will not be opened [illegible] this morning.

CANADIAN SOCIETY OF OREGON.—A meeting of the [illegible] of the Canadian Society of Oregon [illegible] last evening in the Holton House. The [illegible] selected Gervais as the place for hold[illegible] annual reunion, which will take place [illegible]. W. M. Foley of Portland was elected [illegible] of the day, and Mr. Chamberlain of Gervais [illegible] marshal. The following commit[illegible] was selected: Messrs. Pellond [illegible] of St. Paul, Messrs. Seguin, Cham[illegible] of Gervais, and Messrs. Grat[illegible] of Portland. The committee pro[illegible] this one of the most successful re[illegible] held by the association in this state.

GRAND ARMY HALL ASSOCIATION.—Articles were [illegible] in the office of the county clerk incor[illegible] the Grand Army Hall Association, the in[illegible] being Messrs. N. S. Pierce, M. J. Morse, W. [illegible] F. G. James and W. A. Hentz. The asso[illegible] for a term of fifty years and its [illegible] will be to furnish and maintain [illegible] the meeting of the various posts of the [illegible] located in this city, and for an armory for [illegible] First regiment of the Oregon state [illegible] known as the Veteran Guard. The [illegible] of the association is set down at $600, and [illegible] to be governed by an executive com[illegible] composed of one member from each G. [illegible] from the Veteran Guard and one to be [illegible] by the other four.

SENTENCED TO FIVE YEARS' IMPRISONMENT.—John [illegible] on Tuesday last in the state circuit [illegible] found guilty of stealing about $125 from [illegible] J. C. L. Miller, near Wright's bridge [illegible], was yesterday arraigned before [illegible] for sentence. When asked whether or [illegible] anything to say why sentence of the court [illegible] not be pronounced upon him he arose in a [illegible] manner and said that he had never [illegible] before, that he had enlisted twice and [illegible] time in the regular army. The judge [illegible] him to five years in the penitentiary [illegible] taken to Salem to-morrow by Sheriff [illegible]

IMPROVEMENTS.—Estimates have been filed with [illegible] of the proposed improvement of Alder [illegible] to Fourth by raising it to the grade [illegible] washed gravel, to be finished [illegible] rock and rolled. The cou[illegible] will be in a few days. This will be about [illegible] experiment in improving streets with gravel [illegible] section. Unless it is rolled and [illegible] it is to be feared that some of the stones [illegible] when heavy teams want to belt [illegible] will probably wish that the ex[illegible] had been tried in some other quarter of the [illegible]

[illegible] FINED.—The morality of Albina [illegible] named Smythe—not Smith—was [illegible] arrested in that precinct for using obscene [illegible] upon the street. He was taken [illegible] justice Isbell tried and found guilty of the [illegible]. The being the first time however, after [illegible] reprimand from the justice upon [illegible] his ways, and paying the costs of court, [illegible] to go free.

[illegible] TO KILL HIS WIFE.—Alfred Hure who [illegible] corner of Fifth and Washington streets [illegible] yesterday by Constable Grant, up on a [illegible] threatening to kill his wife. The com[illegible] was made by the woman herself [illegible] before Justice Osborne and waived [illegible] was then required to furnish bonds [illegible] to keep the peace.

AN ABSCONDING DEBTOR.—Lawrence [illegible] living near Albany, was arrested [illegible] by Deputy Sheriff Hill of Linn [illegible] of being an absconding debtor [illegible] the first named place. Parrish [illegible] with a horse belong[illegible]. The animal was attached when his [illegible] and is now being boarded in a [illegible] expense of Parrish's creditors.

[illegible].—The Ladies' Charitable Club, [illegible] luncheon at different times will [illegible] Hardy's Second and Lincoln [illegible] have accumulated some money and [illegible] relieving the wants of families in [illegible] more than one under that head [illegible]

[illegible] ARRAIGNED.—Judge Smith will [illegible] the state circuit court, announce [illegible] the matter for the motion for a new [illegible] a few days ago by the at or[illegible] F. W. Kenny, who now stands convicted of [illegible] Alfred Yorke.

[illegible] ATTEMPTED OUTRAGE.—Charles [illegible] who was charged with an outrageous assault [illegible] year-old daughter of Mr. Therk[illegible] the Macadam road, was up before [illegible] yesterday and his case thoroughly [illegible]. The testimony was considered suffi[illegible] an indictment was returned

REPAIRS TO THE COTESWORTH.—The fine iron ship Charles Cotesworth, now undergoing repairs on the east side of the river, was visited by a reporter of this paper yesterday. When the survey of the ship showed that a large number of her frames were cracked it was thought by many that she would have to be taken to San Francisco for repairs. No iron ship had ever been hove down here and the job has seldom if ever been attempted anywhere. There was danger apprehended from a sudden rise of the river and in short it was claimed that the repairs could not be made here. But there were some who thought they could and the result shows these latter were right. The arrangements made were simple and are as perfect as could be wished. A monster scow was securely moored to the bank and the ship laid alongside. Then [illegible] and rigging [illegible] off were placed in the [illegible] at convenient place. Long stout posts were placed from the [illegible] of the deck of the ship [illegible] the masts as braces and hauling tackles were attached to the tops of the masts and the other ends to the bulkheads of the scow. The falls of these tackles were taken ashore to windlasses by which the ship was hove down as far as desired. Chains were passed around the ship and made fast to the scow to keep the former from [illegible] out into the river. Another tackle from the mast of the scow was attached to the end of the ship to prevent her from [illegible] and any further [illegible] was necessary. [illegible] she is [illegible] of straining any part of her and if the river should rise or fall as it [illegible] the ship and [illegible] up and down with it. When the lining was fully stripped off it was found that twenty-eight frames were cracked on one side and twenty one on the other. It was a very difficult job to clean out the cement between the frames which being done, it was found that a number of angle irons were broken. The plates of [illegible] were however not damaged [illegible] the Cotesworth will [illegible] Twenty two new angle irons will be riveted to the frames and heavy iron strappings placed on thirty-six of them. The job is being done in a very thorough manner. A furnace for heating rivets is in the hull and hundreds of new rivets have been placed in the plates and [illegible] bolts through the frames and the new and old angle irons. There will be no trouble in [illegible] and [illegible] any kind of a ship here. The Cotesworth will be let up to-morrow [illegible] on the other side the first of the week.

DIFFERENT [illegible] RESTAURANTS.—A complaint of unjust treatment is made by a respectable Chinese merchant against a restaurant on Morrison street between Fourth and Fifth. He says that seeing a placard at the door of the restaurant [illegible] that coffee with cakes [illegible] per plate [illegible] ham and eggs 25 cents and [illegible] of buckwheat flour were 10 cents he and two of his friends went in to dine. They had an idea that the bill was a little more than it should be but paid it. The next day they dined there again and the bill seemed still more inflated. The next day they thought they would test the matter, and ordered the three delicacies above mentioned, which according to advertised rates should have cost them 45 cents each, or $1.35 in all. The waiter demanded $2.50. They called his attention to the placard and the scale of prices. He said he had orders to collect $2.50. He was told that he would not get that sum and the $1.35 was tendered which after some grumbling was accepted. The next day they visited a restaurant a few doors further west and were told that Chinamen were not allowed there. They then went to Eppinger's and ordered a dinner were treated like gentlemen and paid their bill ($0.50) like little men. They think it wrong that they should be charged an exorbitant rate or refused admittance at second-rate restaurants when they are waited upon at a first class one. All that can be said about the matter probably, is that every man can run his restaurant to suit himself but it does not seem honest to charge a Chinaman more than a white man.

A DRY YEAR.—It is noticeable that notwithstanding nearly every part of the United States including dry southern California, has been visited at one time or another within the past year by inundations Oregon has escaped entirely. In fact the last twelve months has been the dryest within memory of the oldest inhabitant. The sum of daily readings of water gauges in the Columbia Willamette and Snake rivers since last March is lower than for any other year since keeping a record was commenced. Last summer's rise of the Columbia was comparatively small and there has not been a freshet to speak of since the winter of 1882-3. The past has been Oregon's off year.

AMALGAMATED TRADES UNION.—A meeting of representatives from the different trades unions of this city was held last evening at Sarsfield hall, for the purpose of organizing an amalgamated trades union. Some thirty representatives of local unions comprising a membership of 600, were present. The following officers were elected: H. O. Southier, president; John Montag vice president; J. M. Vaughn recording secretary; F. T. [illegible] financial secretary; Matt Welsh treasurer; John Holland warden; W. H. Marshall, J. J. Fromer, D. J. Mal[illegible] trustees.

TURN HALL TO BE REMODELED.—At the last regular meeting of the Turn Verein it was decided to remodel their hall at the corner of Fourth and Yamhill streets. The gymnasium on the lower story is too small for the requirements of the society and will be changed to stores. Mr. Verney's lease of the lower hall up stairs expires on the 18th of April when the apparatus of the gymnasium will be moved up there. The estimated cost of the change is about $2,000. The hall will probably still be for lease on certain evenings of the week.

IMMIGRANTS OVER THE OREGON SHORT LINE.—The flow of immigration to Oregon is not entirely confined to the ocean steamers or to the Northern Pacific railroad. The uncompleted Oregon Short Line having already become a well patronized means of transportation. Parties of settlers are coming into eastern Oregon daily from the east over this line and the first passengers that entered Huntington by rail comprised a party of twenty five persons from Missouri who were intending to settle in Pine valley, Union county.

GIFT TO A SCHOOL DISTRICT.—The Sellwood Real Estate company in consideration of its desire to aid the common schools has conveyed to school district No. 76 which is partly in Multnomah and partly in Clackamas counties lots seven and eight, in block sixty-seven only so long, however as said property is used for common school purposes. When it ceases to be so used it shall revert to the said Sellwood company and its assigns.

PRIZES AWARDED.—The prizes offered by the Oregon Humane society for the best essays on "Our Dumb Animals, and How to Treat Them" have been awarded to parties writing under the following noms de plume: Evaline Rae first prize; R. se Abyssus, second prize; and Jennie third prize. The essays will be read and the prizes presented this evening at the anniversary meeting of the society to be held in the Congregational church, commencing at 7:45.

ELECTION OF DIRECTORS.—At the regular annual meeting of the stockholders of the Portland Savings bank, held on the 17th instant the following directors were elected for the ensuing year: D. P. Thompson, J. W. Brazee, M. S. Burrell, Frank Dekum, E. J. Jeffery, S. Hirsch, G. B. Durham, W. V. Spencer, E. S. Kearney, T. M. Wade, W. K. Smith. The meeting of the board of directors for the election of officers will be held on Monday, the 24th inst.

TEACHERS' EXAMINATION.—The regular quarterly public teachers' examination will be held at the Park school building, commencing at 9 A. M. Saturday the 22d inst. Teachers desiring to be examined are requested to be in attendance promptly at that time.

BRIEF MENTION.

General O. O. Howard has gone upon an extended tour to Europe.

J. A. Keyes, who has been some time in southern Oregon, has returned to the city.

One of the halibut received here from the Sound the other day weighed 75 pounds.

There are now half a dozen railroad agencies within a stone's throw of THE OREGONIAN office.

A handsomely mounted oil painting of the plain comedian, Charley Reed, is on exhibition at Cornelius' drug store.

John Williams, who stole a looking glass from a hotel pleaded guilty to petty larceny in the police court yesterday and was fined $5.

Poultry is in increased demand and prices still remain high. Two or three good poultry ranches in this vicinity would prove paying investments.

Several more cases of measles have been reported in the city among them a little son of A. W. Oliver, 191 Pacific street. There are also a few cases in East Portland.

The money order office has sufficient clerical force but they are so hampered for room that the work is greatly delayed, to the annoyance of persons having business there.

The opera of "Patience" will be produced at New Market theater April 24, 25 and 26. This is one week later than was previously announced but the postponement was necessary on account of prior theatrical engagements.

Eight trunks belonging to a drummer for the San Francisco furnishing goods house of Wilson Bros which were held at the Esmond house to secure an unpaid board bill, were replevined yesterday by the sheriff at the suit of the above named firm.

ART MENTION.—E. W. Moore, the free-hand crayon artist at Abell & Son's art gallery, is embellishing their handsome reception rooms with several fine pieces of portraiture notably an oil and crayon of the late George P. Aiken who [illegible] of the governor's staff California state militia the little daughter of John A. Childs and a magnificently executed crayon of James G. Blaine. These together with the artistic display of fine photographic samples executed at this gallery is well worth a visit. We have seen works executed by Sarony in the east, and consider in our judgment, that work executed at the above gallery equal, if not better in a great many instances. For the convenience of patrons Messrs. Abell & Son have recently placed a telephone in their's really complete gallery. Take the elevator from the main floor.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

WARRANTY DEEDS

Sellwood Real Estate Company to school district No. 76 lot 7 and 8, block 67, Sellwood, for school purposes.

William T. Tegg to Charles Wilson, the north half of lot 4, block 144, East Portland, March 12, $250.

AN ENTERPRISING HOUSE.

The city seemed to be turned loose last night between the hours of 8 and 10 to witness the grand opening of the Great IXL Clothing House. The East Portland band was stationed in the front entrance of the house and discoursed sweet strains as most of our best citizens filed through the store and examined the immense line of gents furnishing goods clothing, boots and shoes and hats and caps which were spread out in this mammoth establishment for their inspection. We may well say that this house is making a showing that most places it in the front rank of Portland's best houses and we bespeak for it a most liberal and generous patronage. Mr. Ike Harris is the managing partner in Portland, and to his untiring energy and enterprise the most credit cannot be given. Good honest straightforward treatment will be the rule at the Great IXL Co., 123 First street.

Something New for Portland.

Now can buy a fine gold watch or the most celebrated makers, or a fine diamond ring or any article in the jewelry line, on the installment plan and when half the amount is paid [illegible] the article can be had at [illegible] installment house of [illegible] 144 First street.

Money loaned on planes, sealskins, household furniture, diamonds, carriages, goods and real estate, at the great Oregon money lenders, Uncle Myers, 144 First st.

Call and see the new watch for $1 at No. 44 North First street.

THERE WAS A QUORUM.

The Congregational Church Again Sustains Its Pastor's Action.

STRONG PROTEST FROM DR. GEO. H. ATKINSON

The Resolution Introduced by Mr. F. K. Arnold at the Last Meeting Passed — New By-Laws Adopted

The adjourned business meeting of the First Congregational church and society last night lasted two hours and a half. There was a large attendance every seat in the vestry being filled. More than half the [illegible] as made up [illegible]. At 8 o'clock prayer meeting over the pastor called [illegible] Townsdale to the chair [illegible]. Himes acted as secretary. Mr. [illegible] who also [illegible] the meeting to order [illegible] Dr. Atkinson [illegible] that [illegible] he had [illegible] be [illegible]

The minutes of the two previous meetings were read and approved with [illegible] amendment [illegible] half an hour.

NEW BY-LAWS

The chair announced that the first business to come before the meeting was the resolution offered by Mr. F. K. Arnold at the last meeting.

Mr. [illegible] Steel moved that the resolution lie on the table for the present as he desired to introduce an amendment to the by-laws relating to what constituted a legal quorum. Motion carried.

He then offered the following amendment:

Resolved, That the by-laws of this church be amended as follows:

First—That in and after the passage of this resolution —— members of this church shall constitute a legal quorum for the transaction of all business pertaining to the welfare of the church and that no [illegible] vote at any regular meeting shall be required to [illegible] and dismission of members except in [illegible] from the roll [illegible] two-thirds vote of those present at any regular meeting shall be required, provided that it shall be deemed legal to receive members by profession [illegible] by letter or dismiss by letter at any prayer meeting upon a majority vote of those present without previous notice.

Sec. 2. That the by-laws of this church cannot be altered or amended without [illegible] two-thirds majority present at any regular meeting.

Dr. [illegible] moved that the blank for the number of members be filled with fifteen.

L. M. Parrish moved [illegible] number.

F. K. Arnold moved twenty-five.

The chair announced that the motion for the highest number had precedence and put Mr. Parrish's motion first. Thirteen voted for and the rest of the house against it. Mr. Arnold's motion was then put and carried by a vote of 107 only four or five voting against it. The blank was therefore filled with twenty five.

A QUORUM PRESENT

L. W. Allen inquired of the secretary how many members there were on the church roll and was answered 249. Mr. Himes stated further that he with Messrs. Glenn and Steel, had carefully examined the church roll and found that about 200 of the nominal membership of 249 now lived in the city, the remainder having removed to other places, or being in [illegible] from other causes.

H. [illegible] desired to know whether a legal quorum was present just as a matter of knowledge. Several suggested that the church roll be called and that members answer to their names. The chair said that this would be a useless waste of time and as accurate result could be as easily obtained if members would rise and stand until counted. Requesting at the same time that none but actual members rise. The count showed 123 members present. Applause greeted this announcement from the chair.

At this stage of the proceedings W. H. Merrow tendered his written resignation as member of the church. Accepted.

THE PASTOR AGAIN SUSTAINED

M. Steel moved that Mr. Arnold's resolution be taken from the table. Carried.

The resolution was then read. It is as follows:

WHEREAS, At a regularly called meeting of this church, held on Wednesday evening, March 5, 1884, action was taken whereby the pastor was authorized to receive persons into the church without their professing their assent to the creed of said church; and

WHEREAS, Several members, to wit: H. H. Northrup, L. M. Parrish, Geo. H. Himes, L. W. Allen, E. A. Knapp and Robert Pittock, have filed a protest against such action of the church, basing their protest on the following alleged acts, to wit:

1. That there was not a legal quorum, namely a majority of all the members present at said meeting, so alleging that this is proven by the number of votes cast, namely 98 which number is not a majority of all entitled to vote.

2. That the church cannot suspend its creed but can only alter or amend it. Now therefore be it

Resolved, That while we recognize and admit the right of members to protest against any action of the church, and while we cherish the greatest respect for the spirit of Christian sympathy and fellowship and the cause has been spread upon the minutes, nevertheless we firmly believe,

First—That the first ground of protest is not well taken in that all the protestants were present at and participated in the proceedings of said meeting without raising the point that there was not a quorum, thereby acknowledging its legality and the binding force of its results.

Second—That there is only one way in which to decide the fact whether a majority of any body having a membership record is present at any given meeting or not, viz: a call of the house and as there was no call of the meeting aforesaid, consequently the ballot named is not conclusive proof that such majority was not present, the first ballot having been cast when said ballot was taken, nor at any other time and it is a well known fact the some members were present at the beginning of the meeting who left before the ballot was taken, and some remaining did not vote. Furthermore it is a fact that the roll of membership, as it now stands contains the names of some who are dead or others who have moved away from the city and of many who have not affiliated with the church for years consequently we believe that those present at the meeting aforesaid, constituted a majority of those by right entitled to vote at any church meeting. And it is still further

Resolved, That the business of this church for many years past, to wit: thirty three years has been transacted in this manner and its proceedings have never before been called in question on this point, therefore, we submit that a custom established by the usage of so long a period, would be recognized as binding, so far as this and all previous meetings are concerned by any organized body and sustained by any court of judicature and be it further

Resolved, That so far as the second ground of protest is concerned the creed of this church has not been suspended, but still remains as the creed of the church although individual assent to it is not made a test of church membership—a liberty allowed by other denominations than our own—and the authority given by the meeting in question to the pastor to receive members into the church without compelling such assent was merely confirming a custom which has obtained during the term of both the present pastor and his predecessor, covering a period of some seven years.

Mr. Northrup thought it was a mistake to say that Mr. Cruzan the former pastor had received persons into the church without assenting to the articles of faith. He objected to the resolution. The question presented by the resolution was really the question passed on March 5. It is not a question as to whether there was a legal quorum. Therefore they were not up on a technicality, but on the merits of the question—to confirm and ratify the action before taken. He objected to it for that reason. It is proposed to change the manner of admitting members into this church that persons need not assent to a belief in its doctrines as set forth in the articles of faith. This is a very important step. This Congregational church recognizes no superior; its action is final. It is the beginning and the end; there is no appeal to a higher court: therefore it is of the highest importance to understand what we propose to do to-night. Under the by-laws just passed, two thirds of twenty five members can make this a Methodist church or a Baptist, or Catholic, or an Episcopal church and their action must stand. A Presbyterian church is governed by a synod; its acts may be reviewed by a superior power. If it takes a wrong step the synod can come in and enforce discipline. We know no superior and our acts can not be reviewed. Seventeen members of this church can change it to a Unitarian church, unless you recall your action. Congregationalism has a definite meaning. This is not a Congregational church unless you conform to its doctrines. The Baptist church has much the same organization as ours. Suppose that one of their congregations give up their particular form of baptism and adopt sprinkling. There is no synod or conference to set aside the action, but they would be cut off from fellowship with all other churches of the same denomination. Such will be our situation if we surrender our articles of faith. I raise my voice against it.

Rev. Dr. Atkinson said "I have tried to catch the meaning of these resolutions. I understand them to declare that we have no articles of belief either as individuals or as a church. I have listened with painful interest to this action and I make inquiry with great earnestness whether the act of March 5 is indorsed. I ask whether you have decided that we have no belief and whether you want the decision to be published to the world, that we have no belief. One single expression from God's word may do for a belief and upon it a church of the Lord Jesus Christ may stand. With one this word it is impossible for a Christian church to exist. I ask do you want it known to the sixty churches in the northwest, and to the 4000 churches in this land that this church declares it has no articles of faith? Do you want to admit one person or 100, or 500 upon [illegible] ing? They can not be arraigned or tried for violation of church doctrine without something on which to base their membership. I am willing to reduce the articles of faith to the smallest possible limit to a single divine principle; but I am not willing after having given thirty eight years towards building up the Congregational church, to allow its articles of faith to be surrendered without uttering my protest against it. I am amazed that these articles of belief are regarded as fable. I ask is the vital issue. If you suppress you deny. No church can conceal this. If I pass upon record. The idea of church will be gone gone forever unless your action be recalled. I am not a lawyer but I do not believe our buildings can be maintained. Our property may be lost, as much was lost in Massachusetts seventy years ago when all but one church in Boston, and Harvard college were lost. They were rebuilt in poverty and the strength of spirit, and now the Congregational church of that state gives $130,000 a year to the spread of the gospel in the west and south and $100,000 a year for carrying the gospel to heathen lands. As the editor of THE OREGONIAN said recently England is not afraid to send her capital to India because Christianity had paved the way for making safe the investment of capital.

"I have the receipt for the church edifice. I assisted during its structure and the dedication. I helped the building was for the Congregational church. I thought the church was built on a foundation in which we did not pass away. I believe that no one will come out of this church that they may build in poverty with logs but they will build for the Congregational church. We have history behind us with which we and God's light before us. Let us choose aright. I protest absolutely against surrendering the articles of faith of this church, giving up its vital truths. They are dead letters, unless they are read. Unless we say they are, they are not. I am willing to stand by them so long as I live, so help me God."

Mr. Marvin was pained that the brother and father of the church felt so badly on the subject. The creed stands as it has always stood, there had not been a departure from the creed. You have given us the privilege of receiving persons into the church upon their profession of Christianity. I am a Congregationalist dyed in the blood and woven in every fiber. You voted 76 to 12 that I might receive persons into the church upon profession of faith. You remain as ever Congregationalists. There has been no departure from the principles of the church. You may as well say that because a person does not believe every article of the Westminster catechism, he can not become a Presbyterian. I have always asked every person up for examination who has been believed in Jesus Christ. If he answer yes, he is entitled to communion. Within two years I have received thirty one persons into this church, and not one has disgraced it. No one dreams that he is not a Congregationalist, no one here believes this is not a Congregational church.

A. M. Smith said no creed was read to him when he was received into the church. Supposed the church had a creed; understood that it was not abolished but that it was not to be made a test of membership. The Presbyterian creed stands, but members are not required to indorse it. There are some things in the Congregational creed that I did not exactly like. Dr. Atkinson's views are somewhat overdrawn.

Dr. Atkinson answered Mr. Smith with impassioned eloquent words, saying that separation of the vital elements meant death.

Mr. Steel said that if voting for the resolution would have the effect suggested by Dr. Atkinson he would vote against it. But the [illegible] had spoken [illegible] thinking and [illegible] the [illegible] was an [illegible] passing the resolution [illegible] that the church had [illegible] first. The [illegible] believe that Christ is the Savior and that he [illegible] earth and died to save [illegible]. That is a [illegible] think as a member of the church I should [illegible] that. That is all I should require of any [illegible] I do not think that Dr. Atkinson is right when he believes that this will take away from the church its foundations. It [illegible]

After some further discussion the question was called for and the main question now being was carried 114 to 11.

A motion to adjourn was made and carried.

The resolution was then put and carried [illegible] after which the meeting adjourned.

THE COURTS.

THURSDAY, March 20.

STATE CIRCUIT COURT—SMITH, J.

State vs. John O'Neil. Sentenced to five years in the penitentiary.

[illegible] vs. Nathan M. [illegible] Motion to strike out the amended complaint denied. Given till next to plead further.

[illegible] vs. Walter et al.—Motion to strike out part of the reply allowed.

M. A. [illegible] vs. A. [illegible] Motion to strike out the complaint [illegible] given a week to file their pleas.

State vs. Pat McCann. Arraigned and given till to-morrow morning to [illegible] appointed to defend.

[illegible] vs. J. B. Montgomery—Jury returns a sealed verdict.

Grand jury brought one indictment.

State of Oregon vs. Hoke [illegible] Not a true bill.

COUNTY COURT—[illegible]

LAW

Ling Sing vs. G. Tyne et al. Continued for term.

PROBATE

Guardianship of Leah White, an insane person. Account of guardian approved.

Guardianship of Geo. J. Lills, a minor. Account of guardian approved.

Guardianship of the Morrill heirs. Account of guardian approved.

Estate of Anna Schriner, deceased. Final account of administrator approved.

Estate of Thomas Shields, deceased. Ordered that administrator sell personal property at public sale, also ordered that administrator pay chattel mortgage of $300 out of moneys of the estate.

POLICE COURT—MORELAND, J.

Sing Kee alias Ah Kee.—Nuisance; continued.

Miss Nell O'Neill—Drunk and disorderly; fined $10.

M. Walsh—Permitting a nuisance; continued.

[illegible] alias Rock [illegible] fined $10 each and [illegible] Barrie, bail for abusive and profane language; continued.

Ah [illegible]—Disorderly conduct; fined $10.

J. Williams, arrested from a dwelling. Henry Fisenke, assault and battery; twenty five days in jail.

HUMANE SOCIETY ANNIVERSARY.

The anniversary meeting of the Oregon Humane Society will be held this evening in the Congregational church commencing at 7:45. Following is the

PROGRAMME OF EXERCISES

Organ solo—Offertoire, A flat. Read
R. W. Hoyt
Scriptures of all religions on kindness to animals.
Dr. F. R. Marvin
Prayer
Singing—Come Where the Lilies are Blooming,
by the High School pupils
Reports of officers
Annual address by the President Rev. T. L. Eliot
Singing—Faithless Swallow
Reading of prize compositions and presentation of prizes
Music—[illegible] Song via [illegible]
Miss Clara [illegible]
Recitation [illegible] Mistress of the Air, Miss Carrie Shanahan
Singing—[illegible] Mr. [illegible] Merry
[illegible]
Election of officers will take place immediately after the public exercises.

LONG FELT WANT

Uncle Block formerly of 1 North First street has caused the premises formerly occupied by Bachman Bros. No. 51 First and on this Saturday evening will open for business thereat and business Uncle Block's increase of facilities for the transaction of business will be [illegible] hundred per cent, and as usual charge less than any other loan office in Portland. Mr. Block has been in business here for some time and his business has increased to that extent which required him to open an office to establish in his present quarters. Should you need any money or your friends, give him a call and you will find him straightforward and honest in his dealings.

The [illegible] millinery establishment of Mrs. A. Lock, cor. of Main and First sts. will be open [illegible] with an elegant and [illegible] of [illegible] and laces from Mrs. Adcock has [illegible] from her corps of assistants in the City. Miss Hattie McDonough, who will represent [illegible] the French house [illegible] Ladies will find in Miss M. [illegible] capable [illegible] forms tions as to the latest styles in millinery.

Lost.

Money in small sums of 25 cents to $1 by people not buying at Wiberg & Hellabaugh's, 1 Morrison, corner Fourth, and don't you forget it just as long as the blocks last. Spring goods now in.

PERSONALS.

Edward Mills of [illegible] & [illegible] tailors and furnishers left for the [illegible] Hotel. Hours [illegible] and [illegible] room [illegible] First [illegible]

Spring.

Miss A. S. Jorgensen, the leading milliner of 110 First street has just returned from San Francisco, where she has just purchased the very latest styles of spring goods. An inspection of her stock will verify the novelty [illegible] Her prices will be as low as any store in this city.

The latest spring styles in English [illegible] and French cassimeres and cloths just received by the Northern Pacific [illegible] tailor [illegible] Myers [illegible] First [illegible]

New Domestic Sewing Machine, 213½ Fourth st.

CITY NOTICES.

Wiley B. Allen music.

Go to Keith's for oysters.

D. W. Prentice leading Music Dealer.

Wiley B. Allen Portland's most popular and leading music dealer, largest stock, 153 First street.

Fountain Soda, drops for Oldie, or Fourth and Morrison.

G. Anderson leading watchmaker, is the place to have your watch put in perfect order. 35 Morrison st.

Boca Beer—everybody drinks it at the Boca Beer on Third and Ash. F. Kelly.

Almond bar peanut bar walnut bar Brazil nut bar lemon bar at P. O. Candy Store.

Thwaite 167 [illegible] First street makes cabinets for $6 per dozen, cards $3 per dozen.

The cough candy made by Staples corner Fourth and Morrison.

Holton House Restaurant Alder street, Fourth. Kept on the European plan [illegible] manager.

Wedding cakes elegant description a specialty Kanes German bakery at Coffee house 257 First st.

For the best of dental work call on Dr. Pat [illegible] cor First and Main. Satisfaction guaranteed. Teeth extracted without pain.

Otto W. P. [illegible] the sign and ornamental painter 48 Morrison. Best work in the city at reasonable rates. Call and see designs.

Stop! Look! See the new store. Watches, Jewelry and money plenty. Nothing like it. Don't fail to see it. At No. [illegible] First st.

Go to Graham's shaving room for a first class shave, No. [illegible] First street, between Salmon and Main.

Candies fresh, fruits, butter and cream, pineapple creams, [illegible] Staples, cor. Fourth and Morrison.

Fergusons hair cutting headquarters, No. 20 Stark street. Every man an artist.

Honey and pure flaxseed for cough, horehound drops, Iceland moss at P. O. Candy Store.

Choice brands of wines liquors and cigars at the Cosmopolitan corner First and Alder.

Wood Hair Store and Butterick's Patterns removed to No. 93 Yamhill st., one door from Fourth st.

The only thorough sewing machine repairer. Needles of all kinds. Jim Barber & Yamhill st.

Gets turnover pairing done at Brown's [illegible] Morrison's receipts opposite postoffice.

Who do not want to sell your diamonds, your watch or chain or [illegible] any jewelry when you can get a loan of [illegible] full value in sums from $1.00 to $50,000 at the Pawn Office, 20 First street. Our customers run [illegible] as we charge no interest.

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Old Indian John brought to town yesterday and presented Dr. Dafferty a curious Indian relic being a neat and simple contrivance for punching out the eyes formerly used as a bye upon Indian doctors who repeatedly failed to cure their patients. It is of stone about a foot long a half inch thick, and varying in width from one inch at the ends to three inches in the center, the width of the latter being caused by a pointed projection on one side. The patient's [illegible] eyes in the center, with the [illegible] between the nose [illegible] the instrument of torture was held in position [illegible] the [illegible] deed was accomplished by a blow on the center. Old John is [illegible] authority in matters pertaining to the Indians as far back as the time of Lewis and Clarke, which he well remembers. Such a mode of punishment [illegible] doctors would be a great [illegible] to many of them but probably the amount of suffering would [illegible] be increased thereby.

ACCIDENTS

A employe of Willis mills at Willsburg named Ballard was engaged yesterday in rolling a log [illegible] twenty feet end [illegible] rushing [illegible] foot member [illegible] suffered dislocation, but Dr. Dav. Raffety who was summoned managed to reduce the [illegible] and placed the injured member on the road to recovery.

A [illegible] in which a 7 year old son of G. S. North was standing yesterday slipped from the hill upon which it was lying and fell upon him in [illegible] but inflicted a scalp wound and [illegible]

Mr. N. Fuller, wife and grandchild of Columbia [illegible] while returning home in a buggy Sunday [illegible] were thrown out of the vehicle through its [illegible] with a stump, which was hidden in the darkness. Mr. Fuller sustained painful injuries to the chest and Mrs. Fuller was badly bruised [illegible] child [illegible] Their horses [illegible] suffered considerable pain and inconvenience for awhile, but are now doing well.

NOTES

A fellow staggering under an overload of whisky last evening [illegible] of the vacant store in the [illegible] on Fourth street.

F. L. Smith was subpœnaed to appear before the grand jury yesterday, morning as a witness in the case against Jim Harris, but not appearing he was arrested during the day and is now in jail.

NO SELECTION MADE

TO THE EDITOR OF THE OREGONIAN:

The statement made in THE OREGONIAN that an offer of sixty acres of land at Forest Grove as a location for the Indian school, had been approved by Dr. Minthorn [illegible] The fact is that no selection was made to the Grove land at Forest Grove or at any other place and it might with as much propriety be said that he had approved of all such offers as of any one. But as many offers have been made at some very favorable places, it is a mistake to say that the offer of Forest Grove has been given any precedence. Each will stand upon its own merits.
VERITAS.

WASCO COUNTY NOTES.

[FROM THE OREGONIAN'S LOCAL CORRESPONDENT.]

PRINEVILLE, March 17.

The mail service from Bisbock to Prineville, which was discontinued, will hereafter be run as usual the citizens of this place having made arrangements with the contractors to convey the same as private carriers.

Land seekers are daily arriving and locating government land in and near this vicinity. Every one seems to be well satisfied. There is considerable government land vacant in this vicinity awaiting settlement.

Found.

That anybody can save from 25 cents to $1 on every pair of shoes that they buy at Wiberg & Hellabaugh's, 1 [illegible] Morrison, corner Fourth, just as long as the blocks of the sidewalk lasts. Spring goods now in.

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On the Wrong Track.
Philadelphia Record.

If the Berlin newspapers think they can push Sargent out of office and out of their [illegible] empire by ridiculing him or peppering him with sarcasm in a language he does not understand they have made an erroneous survey of the man. They might buy him off by presenting him with a principality or some great imperial advantage—we think Mr. Sargent is open to approach in that direction—but he can't be bluffed or bullied.

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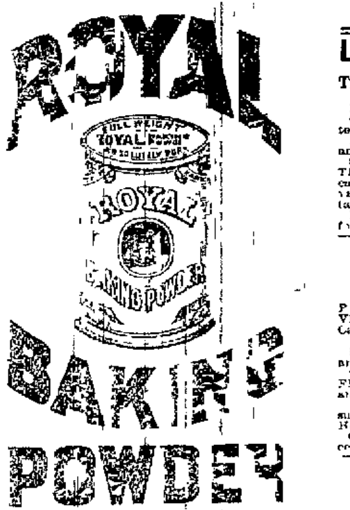

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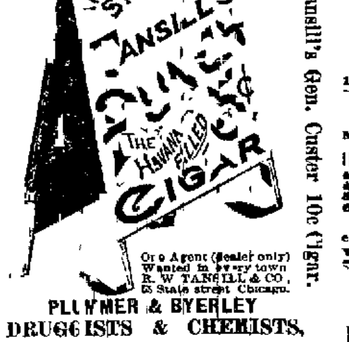

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GEO. C. SEARS, Sheriff of Multnomah county.
March 19, 1884.

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San Francisco Depot, Chief Quartermaster's Dep't [illegible] San Francisco Cal. March 13, 1884.

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Bidders must represent [illegible] and must name the mills, which they propose to [illegible]
The government reserves the right to reject any or all bids. Preference will be given to articles of domestic production and manufacture and such preference will be given to articles of American production produced on the Pacific coast to the extent of the consumption required by the public service there.
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[illegible] WEEKS
Major & Quartermaster U. S. A.
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SPECIAL SCHOOL ELECTION.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THERE will be a special school election of District No. 1, Multnomah county, Oreg., held on Monday, the 24th day of March A. D. 1884, at which time there will be elected one school Director to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of John Wilson.
The following places have been selected for polling places.
First Ward—Louis Kuhn's shop southeast corner of Third and A streets.
Second Ward—Cooper's Inn shed, on the east side of Fourth street between Yamhill and Morrison.
Third Ward—Two door south of the southeast corner of Jefferson and First streets. The polls will open at 2 o'clock P. M. of said day and close at 8 o'clock P. M.
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J. FRED CLARK
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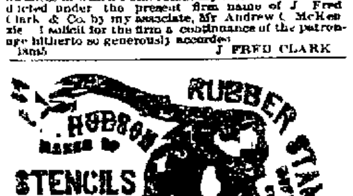

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FRIDAY MORNING, MARCH 21, 1884.

A FAMOUS RACE

That Took Place at Louisville, Ky., Nearly Fifty Years Ago—Rodolph vs. Angora.

Louisville Journal, Sept. 22, 1836.

The "agony is over;" the "hurly burly's done;" the race is ours, and "old Kentuck" stands erect and unshaken in her stirrups. The brief but brilliant career of Angora is gone like the fleeting glory of a sunbeam. The sun of her fame has sunk in darkness whilst that of her competitor is careering in the ascendant. We should not, we will not, exult too loudly over a fallen foe, although we have just cause for exultation. When state is arrayed against state and the contest assumes a local character; when the Southrons have rushed upon us, as did the Assyrians of old upon Sennacherib, boasting and laughing us to scorn, and striving to overshadow us by overtopping our pile; when Tennessee, backed by her neighbors, the sunburnt sons of the south, has rained down the sel-skins as thick as autumnal leaves, trying to frighten us to death; I say, when all these things happen, and old Kentuck, alone and single handed, has fanned out all competition, I do think we have a right to triumph. It is natural to do so, and ergo, we exult.

Perhaps no race in the union ever excited greater or more intense interest. Strangers from all quarters had congregated until the crowd of spectators amounted to about ten thousand. The maimed, the halt, and some say a few of the blind were in attendance to witness the thrilling contest. For days previous Angora was the favorite, the mainstay and cherished hope of the knowing ones. They looked upon her as the lioness destined to crush in embryo and silence forever the claims of Kentucky for speed, bottom or stock in horses. Two to one and even greater odds were bet with a recklessness which testified that their confidence amounted almost to certainty, thus treating our modest but gallant champion with marked contempt. Some even went so far as to wager that Rodolph would be missing at the appointed time, and the forfeit surrendered. Alas, vain boast! this infatuation only went to prove how far poor, frail humanity can be deluded. It affected not Rodolph or his friends. He was resolved, and his friends convinced that he would come up to the trough and toe the trig. He did come, nor was his coming heralded by trumpet or clarion; but, like a well-bred gentleman, without parade or ostentation, he passed through our city as a sensible Kentuckian, he took lodging in a retired spot, afar from the din and tumult of the course, and there, reposing under the shade of his native oaks, he collected his great energies for the approaching crisis. The day has arrived, the crowd collected, and the eventful hour is rapidly approaching. Pocket books are open, and lots of bank bills fluttering in the breeze. Rodolph, that lordly steed, is on the track. Look at him as he walks down the stretch, curving his proud neck and disdaining the earth he treads. Already, methinks, he is chuckling internally at these rash adventurers, who have come to his own door-sill to snatch away his empire. How are the bets now? Even! Even! is echoed and re-echoed by a thousand voices. Where are your two-to-one bettors, the wealthy Southrons, and especially the sharp, eagle-eyed knowing ones? What! are you scared at the appearance of that noble animal? Well may you be so. Old George Burbridge never heeled a Dominico yet; and the way you will see sights will be curious. Look how he chews the bit and paws the earth, as if, for his mighty spirit, a kingdom were too small a compass.

"Clear the track, the riders are up," is now rung like a peal of thunder throughout the vast agitated concourse. What a tremendous throbbing and palpitation is going on in the breast of many a luckless wight, who has staked the needful on the issue! Hark! the drum is tapped, and they are off!!

"Angora ahead—go it, Tennessee!" is now shouted in wild delight by the knowing ones. "Where are you, Kentuck?" "She is nowhere," says a big double fisted fellow, who has bet nine shillings on the race (a Cincinnati wager.) "Kentuck is where she always was, and will ever be, behind Tennessee." "Never mind," cries a rough, honest-looking laborer, who bet his month's wages on Rodolph, "you see what's what before long—if Tennessee beats Old Kentuck this heat, I'll bet two to one the mare's tail drops off at the judge's stand. Look there my darling; hurra, my Rodolph; by Juno, he has licked her the second round, and if he hasn't run clear from under the rider's cap, I wish I may be shot; and, by the memory of old Daniel Boone, if the boy will slacken a bit, I'll bet Rodolph can run clear out of his own skin. Go it, you cripples! Rodolph against the world, and fling in a railroad." And so indeed Rodolph had passed the boasted heroine of the south just like a knife, after loping behind her for gallantry's sake a mile or two. The way he came around the fourth time wasn't slow, and the way Angora was distanced was nobody's business but her own, and that of the knowing ones. Who then can blame us for making the welkin ring? And indeed it did ring with a perfect loudness.

Thus terminated the great match race between Tennessee and Kentucky, in favor of the latter. Angora, the vanquished, was led off to her stable, and Rodolph, the victorious, attended by a band of music, led off the multitude of joyous friends to Oakland house, where he was greeted with a volley of loud, ear-piercing plaudits. Thus have the predictions of General Jackson been fully, and the dreams of Mrs. Judd partially, verified. Old Hickory, the "greatest and best," looking through the vision of second sight, foretold the triumph of Rodolph. Many thought he was playing the courtier to our state, but now they are convinced he knows more about racehorses than he ever did about the affairs of the nation, and as for Mrs. Judd, his rival in necromancy, she may burn her cards and drink her own coffee grounds, as she knows no more about things that will come to pass than old Hickory does about things that have passed.

John Bascomb, a word in your ear. You stand in the same attitude to Rodolph that Clarence did to Gloster: "Thou keep'st him from the light," and must be removed. Then take the advice of a friend—quit the turf and domiciliate thyself; be content with thy present celebrity and spend the residue of thy days in the luxuries of domestic life, for unless thou hast the "speed of thought" thou canst not contend with the western hero, who has proved incontestably that he is every "inch a horse." Hurrah, my old Kentuck! Who is not proud to be thy son when thou canst produce the greatest man in the world and the fleetest nag.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Sept. 21, 1836.

TENNESSEE AGAINST KENTUCKY.—Four mile heats, the important match, $5000 a side, half forfeit:

Sidney Burbridge, of Kentucky, b h Rodolph (5), by Sir Archy of Transport, dam by Moses, 110 lbs........ 1

Gen. R. Desha, of Tennessee, ch f Angora (4), by Imp. Leviathan, dam Patty Puff, 97 lbs........ dis

Time, 8:36—Track extremely muddy.

The Lawyer Monopoly.

D. G. Croly in John Swinton's paper.

Establish free courts of arbitration to settle disputes without the interposition of swindling lawyers and courts. The stock, produce, cotton and other exchanges now enjoy all the benefits of arbitration, for it is the rule in all of them that the member who resorts to litigation loses his seat. Justice should be cheap and certain. One class, not over 10,000 in number throughout the United States, furnishes all our rulers, lawmakers, and judges; that is to say, the second-class lawyers furnish nearly all our presidents, cabinet secretaries, governors, congressmen, legislators, and members of local government boards. I say second-class lawyers advisedly, for first-class lawyers can make more money in their plundering profession than in holding offices. The lawyer caste in this country makes all our laws, expounds them from the bench, and enforces them in executive offices. The lawyer is supreme everywhere, even in so-called reform organizations. Scarcely a newspaper in the country but what some lawyer has more to say than its managing editor.

Some of Worth's New Bonnets.

Paris Letter in the American Queen.

Worth is making some white lace bonnets with brims bordered with real pearls, a rosette of gold galoon at the side, as well as a cream aigrette. Another style of bonnet has a crown and brim of pale gray embroidery, the latter lined with a cream crepe, a crepe bow at the top, fastened with large gold-headed pins—the size worn by French nurses in their caps. Silk bonnets, either blue or green, and braided with copper-red braid, commencing in the center of the crown, and working round and round, and not in fanciful designs, are to be worn. Red silk bonnets covered with black lace and ornamented with black chenille and gold pastilles, and with a tuft of yellow roses, is another style, while for evening wear the newest bonnets are of cream crepon, embroidered with gold, a cream and gold aigrette at the side and garnet velvet strings fastened with gold pins.

Sunday morning Miss Jessie Stephens, daughter of A. M. Stephens, was killed near Alkali, by being thrown from a horse. She lingered till evening. News of the occurrence did not reach Mr. Stephens, who lives at Dayton, till after her death. What seems particularly sad is the fact that she was the only one left of his family, his wife and three other children having died within a few years past. He had built a house recently in Butler's addition, where his daughter expected to come and preside, she being at the time of the accident stopping with her grandfather, and having recently returned from a normal school in California, where she had been for six years last past. She was in her seventeenth year.

HORSFORD'S ACID PHOSPHATE.

For Sick Headache.

Dr. N. S. READ, Chicago, says: "I think it is a remedy of the highest value in many forms of mental and nervous exhaustion, attended by sick headache, dyspepsia and diminished vitality."

A SALVAGE CASE.

United States District Court, District of Oregon.

TUESDAY, March 18, 1884.

The C. D. Bryant—James P. Putman, claimant; Henry Olsen, libellant—No. 1084.

(1) SALVAGE BY PILOT. Under the Oregon pilot act of 1882 (Ses. L., 15), a pilot is bound to render aid to a vessel "in stress of weather or in case of disaster," and he is not entitled to salvage for such service unless he is thereby involved in "extraordinary danger and risk."

(2) CASE IN JUDGMENT. The libellant, in a smooth sea and calm weather, boarded the Bryant in a thick fog, while she lay aground at low tide on the outer edge of the middle sand of the Columbia river, and at the next flood sailed her over into deep water in the south channel, and, after drifting out to sea in the night, brought her into port the next morning.

HELD—That the service of the libellant did not involve any "extraordinary danger and risk," and that he was only entitled to a pilot's compensation therefor.

DEADY, J.

The libellant, Henry Olsen, brings this suit to obtain a decree for salvage against the American barque C. D. Bryant and her cargo, for services rendered her at the mouth of the Columbia river on September 4 and 5, 1883.

The master of the Bryant, James P. Putman, intervening for his interest and that of his co-owners in the vessel, as well as the owners and consignees of the cargo, answers the libel, denying that the libellant performed any salvage service on the occasion in question, and alleging that he acted as bar pilot merely, for which service he was duly paid.

The evidence is very voluminous, and as usual in such cases, is largely irrelevant, immaterial and repetitious.

The material facts appear to be, that on September 4, 1883, the Bryant being bound on a voyage from Hong Kong to Portland, drawing about nineteen feet of water, was off the mouth of the Columbia river, when, about 2:30 P. M., and near high water, she grounded on the outer edge of the middle sand in twelve to fifteen feet of water at low tide, and about three miles southwest of Cape Disappointment light—the sea being smooth, the weather calm, and a thick fog or smoke on the bar; that about 5 o'clock she was boarded by the libellant, a bar pilot from the pilot schooner Cousins, who thereupon took charge of her; that the vessel lay quietly in her bed in the sand after the libellant took charge until the flood tide began to make, and the wind freshened from the northwest, when with the aid of her sails and the swell of the sea she rubbed across the sand some time before 3 o'clock on the morning of the 5th, in a southeasterly direction, into deep water; and was afterwards carried by the ebb tide and an easterly wind in a southwesterly direction to sea where she laid off until daylight and then came in over the bar with a light breeze and the flood tide and was taken in tow by a tug and brought to Astoria and beached with three or four feet of water in her hold; that the vessel commenced to leak before 9 o'clock in the evening of the 4th and continued to do so until beached in the mud at Astoria, both pumps being worked continuously in the meantime, which leak was wholly caused by the displacement of 35 or 40 feet of the after part of the keel, while on the sand as aforesaid; and that the vessel is worth $15,000 and her cargo, which consists of rice and China goods, is worth about $50,000.

Much of the testimony and controversy in the case relates to the question whether the conduct of the libellant while in charge of the vessel was that of a skillful and diligent pilot or not. For instance, it appears that soon after boarding the vessel, while the tide was ebbing to the southward and a light breeze was blowing from the northwest, the libellant caused the port anchor to be dropped from the cathead and went below to change his clothes, which were wet, and take some rest, where he remained until near 9 o'clock, when at the suggestion of the master he came on deck, and had the anchor taken up, because, the master insisted that the vessel was surging ahead—taking chain—and would soon be on the anchor, all of which the libellant denied at the time and since.

Upon the vessel being brought to Portland and hove down it was found there were some bruises and indentations, well forward on her port side, which were thought to have been made by the vessel coming in contact with the flukes of the anchor while she lay on the sand. All of them were mere surface bruises, the wood in the worst one not being bruised more than three inches deep, and were all repaired by cutting out the bruised portions and letting in a scarf piece in its place at a comparatively small cost, and did not at all affect the tightness of the vessel or cause her to leak.

So far as appears, the dropping of the anchor was a useless act. It might prevent the vessel from going off as she went on, of which there was not the least probability, at that time, if ever, and it was impossible for her to go farther on until the tide flooded.

At the same time it was certainly a harmless act, provided it was taken up, as it was, before the flood tide commenced to make; and even then, with the heave of the sea and the wind, both from the northwest or thereabout, the vessel would be driven not upon the anchor but on the sand abreast of it.

But the management of this anchor, whether skillful or unskillful, does not affect the libellant's right to salvage. If any damage was caused to the vessel by the neglect or want of skill on the part of the libellant in this respect, at most, the amount thereof could only be deducted from the salvage to which the libellant might otherwise be entitled. But no claim is made in the pleadings for any damage on this account, and it is doubtful if any was sustained. If, under the circumstances the act was bad seamanship, it is a matter for the consideration of the pilot commissioners from whom the libellant obtained his branch, and not a defense to this suit.

Salvage service is a meritorious one, and it has always been the policy of the law to reward liberally those who successfully engage in it, according to the skill, danger and property involved in the undertaking. But the drift of American legislation and decision is against the policy of allowing pilots to act as salvors on their own pilot grounds. It has been thought or found that the temptation to become a salvor might induce a pilot to make or allow an occasion for such service, that he might profit by the distress of the ship which he is bound to navigate. Hobart v. Drogan, 10 Pet. 120; the schooner Wave, 2 Payne, 133; 2 Par. S. & A., 271.

A pilot is a public officer whose duties and compensation are prescribed by law; and when acting in the line of his duty he is not entitled to any other compensation. As was said by Mr. Justice Washington in the case of La Sigre, 3 Wash. C. C. R., 1711, while considering the question whether official duty could be compensated by salvage—"Of this class of cases, is that of the pilot, who safely conducts into port a vessel in distress at sea. He acts in the performance of an ordinary duty, imposed upon him by the law and the nature of his employment; and he is therefore not entitled to salvage, unless in a case where he goes beyond the ordinary duties attached to his employment."

The pilot laws of the several states generally require pilots to render aid to vessels if possible on their cruising ground wherever needed; and in cases when extraordinary risk and danger is thereby incurred, provision is made for extra compensation.

The duties and compensation of an Oregon Columbia river bar pilot are prescribed by the pilot act of 1882, Ses. L., 15. The act (§ 27) gives the pilot so much a foot draft of the vessel for his service; and (§ 21) provides that he must keep a suitable pilot boat on which he shall cruise outside the bar "unless prevented by tempestuous weather," and he "must at all times promptly extend aid to vessels in stress of weather or in case of disaster; * * * Provided, that this section shall not affect any claim for salvage arising out of services involving extraordinary danger and risk."

Under this section (21) it was the duty of the libellant to extend to the Bryant whatever aid she might need and he, as pilot could give, and in so doing he did not entitle himself to salvage or other compensation than that prescribed by law, unless he thereby incurred "extraordinary danger and risk." Neither the value of the vessel nor the benefit she receives from the service enter into the question of compensation. Unless the pilot incurs more than ordinary "danger and risk in the discharge of his duty, he is only entitled to the ordinary compensation. Whether this section includes the case of a wreck properly speaking—that is, a vessel abandoned at sea or stranded and abandoned, is a question not necessary to decide in this case. If it does, as it well may, the pilot must render what aid he can to such, and if in so doing he does not incur "extraordinary danger or risk," he must be content with the ordinary compensation.

The Bryant was not a wreck in any sense of the word. She had just gone easily on to a sand bank, where, if the weather had continued as calm as it then was, she might have remained for weeks without any serious injury. Her master and crew were on board, with reason to believe, that the vessel could be floated off at the next tide, as she was; and in any event, that the tugs would come to her assistance and pull her off as she went in.

There is a conflict in the testimony as to whether the libellant boarded the vessel and took charge of her as a pilot or not. But there is not much room for doubt about the matter. He boarded her from a pilot schooner, saying he was a pilot, and did nothing while on board but a pilot's duty. It is true that the libellant testifies, that he told the master after he got on board that his vessel was aground, and that he would not take charge as a pilot until she was afloat. But this, under the circumstances, is a very improbable statement, and was not remembered by the libellant on his examination in chief, nor until he was pressed on cross-examination; and it is absolutely denied by the master of the barque.

But, be this as it may, the law did not authorize the libellant to go on board and take charge of the vessel, without the master's consent, in any other capacity than that of pilot. The Fitz Dodge Healy, 4 Wash. C. C., 656. This was not a case for a salvor but a pilot, unless the former had a tug or other means external to the vessel at his command, wherewith to pull her off the sand, with or without the aid of the wind and tide. But the libellant could be of no aid to the vessel personally, otherwise than from his knowledge of the tides, channels and shoals in the vicinity, and his skill in handling her by means of her sails, rudder and anchors, and all this he was bound to know and do as a pilot. If the master had possessed this local knowledge he could have sailed the Bryant over the sand into deep water as well as the libellant. Indeed, nothing was done by the latter except to set the sails and wait for the wind and tide, which fortunately—I may say providentially—came and pushed her over into the south channel. And even then, but for the local knowledge of the libellant, she might, in the darkness and fog, have gone on to Clatsop spit. The services rendered by the libellant were those of a pilot; and unless in boarding her or while on her, he personally incurred "extraordinary danger and risk," he is not entitled to anything more than a pilot's compensation therefor; and this is so whether or not his services saved the vessel from a great peril or imminent danger of destruction.

I hardly know how to discuss the question of the "danger and risk" incurred by the libellant personally. I suppose that a bar pilot when on duty, is always involved in more or less danger. He is bound to cruise outside the bar, and board and render aid to vessels, unless the weather is so "tempestuous" as to prevent it—as to make it absolutely unsafe to do so. In this case, in my judgment, the libellant did not incur even the ordinary danger of a pilot service in that locality.

It was a remarkable calm time—not wind enough to clear the bar of the smoke and fog incident to that season of the year. There was a light breeze from the northwest, and the ebb tide made a ripple on the sand where the vessel lay aground. On sighting the Bryant, the Cousins ran down from the windward and hove to some distance astern and south of the former from whence the libellant, with the aid of another oarsman, undertook to pull up to the Bryant in a small boat, but on account of the wind and tide, particularly of the latter, was unable to do so, and had to return to the schooner, which by this time had drifted farther to the southwest. The schooner then beat up into the vicinity of the Bryant and hove to again under the lee of the latter in comparatively still water, from whence the libellant with the aid of the oarsman boarded her without any trouble—the latter taking the boat back to the schooner, which then, by the libellant's direction, stood out to sea. In all this there was some time and labor spent, and much of it because of the libellant's mistake in not bringing his schooner round under the lee of the Bryant in the first instance, but certainly no extraordinary danger or risk. And while on the vessel the libellant incurred no such danger or risk, for if there was any immediate prospect or probability of her going to pieces on the sand or sinking in the deep water, as there was not the least, all hands could safely have taken to the boats.

But the libellant has himself furnished very satisfactory evidence that he did not, at the time, regard this service as dangerous, or otherwise than an ordinary pilot service.

On September 6, it appears that he made out a bill against the Bryant for "pilotage" at the prescribed rate, amounting to the sum of $206, and delivered the same to the agent of the schooner for collection, and as his report of the transaction, which was paid accordingly. Nothing then appears to have been said or thought of any claim for salvage on account of any unusual danger or risk incurred by the libellant in this service.

There must be a decree for the claimant, dismissing the libel and for costs.

Mr. *Frederick R. Strong*, for the libellant.

Mr. *M. W. Fechheimer*, for the claimant.

INCOMING PASSENGERS.

The steamship State of California sailed from San Francisco for Portland at 10 A. M. with the following passengers:

J H Wilson
S Rosenthal
P E Brigham
O Port
Mrs M Klepstein
Miss Mary Klepstein
Mrs E Wingard
J W Cook
S Lowenberg
H W Littell
Mr Wind Spitzenberger
Mrs W Spitzenberger
Miss A G Heneley
F G Wilson
W Pollock
F F Fritz
Frank M Baird & wf
J Lepley
John Kraft
G Cameron
Wm Hubbard
G W Epler
Miss E Abbott
W P Boyd
W Demerritt
E Hendrickson
Amos Brown
Thomas Hoyle
Miss Fan St Clair
A Quitow
F M Wormcastle
Miss Fetch
F R Swain
P H Dawson
L A Port, wife & dtr
Wm Loeb
S M Cooper & wife
D Warner
H H Getty & wife
J McMillin
G F Hyleton
F B Friendly
Moses Ackelman
J B White
Miss Bushnell
Mrs Hebneck
J G Dow
C O Cummings & wife
Wm Sweatman
Wm Greenfib
W Cameron
Cass Downing
W F Bishop
F Valerga
Harry Sharley
Mr Vance
Mr Kodill
Dr Z Abeltdr
Mr O'Neil
M Welsh
J Johnson & dtr
Cohnman
E D Long
J S Fisher
J H Rand
M S Lowenthal
Miss Minnie Klepstein
Miss Ida Chamberlain
John Clark
C L Fay
W P Thomas
Levi Erre
Mrs J F Alexander
Mrs O C Shelly
Mrs G K Dewatt
W W Carr
J H Cook
H L Leinders
H Sieben
Hong Ken
J L Hollerbeck
J C Riner
A H Mitchell
Mrs A W Childs
J J Hunt
E M F Stewart
W K Flowerell
Charles Mayberg
J J Hanley
Wm Melmred
Miss Dollie St Clair
Sam Barr
Gen Rufus Ingalls
Miss Steads
P Berry
E L Stevens & wife
J Reed
J Strong
D Magnus
W Partzerr & wife
H Wright
J B Salwie
L A Strobel
Chas Vadnais
Mrs Sarah Collins
J Pilver & wife
Mrs Rhee
B H Bravincle & wife
W E Parker
Chas Reed
John Rice
E W Frillman
F Wilson
Fred Malcom
Don Clark
Gilbert Strong
Mr Kidd
Mr Bertram
Mr Allen
Mr Dunlgan
Miss Allie Reimer
M Sturgeon
Annie Stephenson
E F Crittenden

MAKING CREMATION ESTHETIC.

How It Is Proposed to Banish the Objectionable Features.

Modern Age.

It is not a disagreeable journey on which we now propose to take our readers. It is to visit the final disposition of a friend's remains in the ideal crematory of the future. Our friend has died, and through the usual announcements we learn that the last rites will be performed in the columbarium at a given hour. Repairing thither at the appointed time, we passed through a grove of stately trees, the soothing murmur of whose rustling leaves bring peace and quiet into the hearts of those who mourn and gather to pay the last tribute. Within the grove stands a massive building of gray masonry, whose architecture shows no striving after ornamental effect, and whose solid proportions give a sense of eternal permanency. A few small windows in the frieze which crowns its walls do not destroy this effect, and their plain stained glass clashes in no wise with the harmony of color between the sky, the trees and the gray stone of the temple of rest. About the Doric pillars of its portico green vines twine fondly, as though they, too, would do their share in robbing death of all its hideousness.

To this place loving hands have borne the body of our friend. No coffin lends its horror to the journey from this earthly home to here, where eternal sleep awaits him. A flower-strewn bier gives poetic carriage from this short and final journey. Entering the broad portal, the soft deep notes of an organ charm the ear. The eye takes in a most imposing sight. The entire interior of the building is one impressive room, with walls, floor, ceiling, all of white and spotless marble. The view is not a dazzling one, for the light is subdued and comes in various colors through the windows at the top. On either side of the chamber stand a few memorial statues—real works of art—each one of them keeping alive the memory of some one who in his life was either good or great. Many of the marble slabs in the sides and the floor of the temple bear in plain, sunken letters a name and two dates. Behind or beneath them are niches containing urns, where rest the pure white ashes of the beloved dead.

On a simple dais in the middle of the room lies the body of our beloved friend. The hour has come, and about it are gathered those who knew and loved him while he lived. The scene, the surroundings, the subdued music of the organ, the absence of everything to jar upon the taste or senses, brings on a mood of solemn contemplation. No thought of physical corruption jars upon our memories of the dead. The opening words of the speaker are said, a hidden choir harmoniously chants of hope and life, and now the end has come. With the words "ashes to ashes," a white pall is thrown over the dais, and we have looked upon our friend for the last time. The dais noiselessly sinks from sight, a short hour is spent in listening to a funeral oration, or in contemplation, until the dais, still covered with the pall, rises from below. The pall removed, we see upon the dais an urn—provided beforehand, and containing the ashes of our friend. This is now sealed into one of the niches, and the ceremony is over.

BIG BLUNDERS.

Talmage Tells what they are and how to Avoid them.

Rev. T. De Witt Talmage recently delivered a lecture on "Big Blunders." Blunder the first was said to be a multiplicity of occupations. The general rule was that a man could do only one thing well. Perhaps there were two things he should do—find his place, and then keep it. Neither was it the man on the mountain that got inspiration, but the one who had a mountain on his back to throw off. Every man was made to fit into one occupation or profession. Let him make up his mind what to do, then he had a call. Blunder the next was indulgence in bad temper. Almost anything could be had in this country and there was no occasion for melancholy. Good humor sold the most goods, made the best plea, preached the best sermon or wove the best carpet. Growl, Spitfire & Bros. were the worst firm in town. It was another blunder to get discouraged at the bad treatment of others. The best being that ever lived died between two thieves. The hell-fires of slander grew when every one had tongs to stir them. Talk of gossip as something light, but more than once it had shaken a city. How many young men were going down under bad treatment! It was also safe to do right, but never to do wrong. Excess of amusement was another blunder. The tree that had no blossoms in spring had no apples in the fall. All hail to the man or boy who invented ball playing. The whole world was full of music, silence was only music asleep. Better wear out than rust out was a poor maxim. But amusements were only to help men in their work. Many a man had smoked up his prospects in Havanas of the best brand. Home was a preventive, an inspiration, and a restraint. To form the wrong kind of domestic relation was another great blunder. Many a woman of fine character, the admired of all circles, had been crushed under an unappreciative spirit. If a man were cross and critical he was more of a pest than if dead drunk, for then he could be managed. When a man married he married for heaven or hell. A man who had had three wives—one rich, one beautiful and one with a fearful temper—described his experience as having possessed the world, the flesh and the devil. If any one had been unfortunate let him find consolation in the inscription which read: "Grin and bear it." Blunder the last was attempting life without enthusiasm and enterprise. There were no such people as those descended from the New England Yankee on one side and the New York Dutch on the other. The Yankee poet said, "Go ahead," the Dutch element said "Bi ear fal." There never before was such a time for a man starting out, trusting in God and doing his level best.

A "Genuine Perarie Blizzard."

Chicago Herald "Train Talk."

"A regular old blizzard, isn't it?" was my weather comment to a well-bearded, goatish looking passenger. "Nothin' bad about this," was his response. "If you want to see a blizzard as is a blizzard and no mistake, just go out to the perarles. I remember one, eleven years ago next March; lasted three days; snow blew so you couldn't see a steer ten feet away. I got lost from our ranch up near North Platte, Nebraska, and hadn't nothing to do but go with the storm, which came from the north, a little west. I was sixty hours on my feet—to stop to rest meant to freeze on the spot. Finally, I run plum agin a sod house way down in Kansas, more n 200 miles from where I started from. There I found shelter and slept two whole days and nights. Then I was all right again. This is only a breeze compared to a genuine perarie blizzard."

TRADE AND COMMERCE.

THURSDAY, March 20.

PRODUCE RECEIPTS—Past 24 hours: 4105 ctls wheat, 518 bbls flour, 645 ctls oats, 108 ctls barley, 77 lbs hides, 38 cs eggs. Also 2029 ctls wheat, 390 bbls flour, 1761 lbs hides, 70 bxs fruit, 27 sks potatoes from the eastern section.

Receipts for the past seven days aggregate: 40,967 ctls wheat, 10,9?5 bbls flour, 2578 ctls oats, 271 ctls barley, 709 ctls bran, 717 ctls millstuff, 253 sks potatoes, 175 bls hay, 24,5?3 lbs hides, 11 pkgs butter, 571 cs eggs, 201 bxs fruit.

Receipts by leading lines of transportation since Aug. 1 last, as compared with a like time last season have been:

	1883-4		1882-83	
	Valley.	Eastern.	Valley.	Eastern.
Wheat, ctls	125,846	275,556	1,425,765	604,304
Flour, bbls	235,192	185,865	265,341	102,610
Oats, ctls	74,337	[illegible]	112,875	[illegible]
Barley, ctls	6,101	126	4,551	5,2?2
Bran, ctls	38,818	4,154	40,902	1,2?1
Millstuff, ctls	30,804	6,958	35,031	695
Potatoes, sks	17,191	775	17,202	1,57?
Hay, bls	10,516	2,61	8,571	1,52
Wool, lbs	1,139,138	896,860	684,270	797,343
Hides, lbs	200,7??	249,356	442,402	501,817
Fruit, bxs	27,286	1,486	36,509	1,265
Lime, bbls	26,234		19,386	
Flaxseed, sks	22	31,347	57	8,194
Hops, lbs	1,082,951	76,716	629,617	[illegible]

FREIGHTS—After the closing of the Merom last week agents increased their endeavors to work off spot wooden vessels. Late yesterday the Highland Light, 1315 tons, which has been idle for sixteen months, was closed by C. Caesar & Co. The terms of the charter are withheld, for what reason it is not stated. The rate is reported to be very close to 58s 6d for orders. Others were offering at 58s 3d, which shippers declared to be above the market. It was thought that at least one would be fixed before the day closed. The iron in port are not anxious. One is considering an offer of 42s 6d immediate loading and another is said to have refused 47s 6d for May–June loading. Shippers have on hand enough grain to load present engagements, and are loth to take up new tonnage until a cargo is well in hand. The amount of wheat and flour on hand cannot be approximately ascertained. In warehouse here there is probably 6000 tons wheat and half that amount of flour. The interior doubtless has a few thousand tons to spare, but this will come in slowly.

ENGLISH TONNAGE STATEMENT.

In port—Chartered for grain........ 5,491
Disengaged........ 10,188—15,679

On the way—Due March-April........ 559
Due April-May........ 2,743
Due May-June........ 1,471
Due later on........ 6,655—11,454

WHEAT—The local market has shown increased activity for the week, shippers and millers both buying more freely. The spurt has stiffened values without marking an important advance. Holders generally have realized that prices offered were as favorable as could be obtained under the situation and many of them have let go willingly. The bulk of that purchased by shippers has gone to San Francisco under favorable freight charges where it will be placed in ship. The inactive freight market with us and the low rate at which room has been attainable there renders this way of shipping possible without, however, furnishing much of a margin. Ships here having evinced a disposition to do business without conceding rates, has given shippers hope of being able to do something direct. Thus they have bought more freely than the position seemingly admits. Millers have purchased to meet the local call for flour, present and prospective. There yet remains four and one half months of the harvest year, and as wheat becomes scarcer flour may improve. The foreign grain markets have furnished no cheering tone. On the contrary, they are less favorable to the shipper near the close. New York and Chicago have readily sympathized and are lower. San Francisco was slow to acknowledge last week's better turn, and is slower to follow the present weakness. The white wheats of this coast are expected to be in demand later on. Spot quotations are not readily obtainable, as the bulk of buying is in the interior. Valley is in demand over Walla Walla, none of the latter being sold here. For valley shippers name $1 47½ for good to prime sale, but have paid more for choice. Millers bought at $1 50@1 55. For Walla Walla the views of buyers and holders are widely apart, and we cannot safely quote over $1 40@1 45 on wharf. Sales are made 2000 bushels valley to miller at $1 50½, 2500 bushels valley from shipper to shipper at $1 55, and a few lots between these figures.

The aggregate supply of wheat in sight in the United States exclusive of California and Oregon and Canada, the 12th inst., was 31,573,000 bushels, and of corn 15,554,700 bushels against the preceding weekly exhibit of 31,174,150 bushels wheat and 14,457,500 bushels corn, and an aggregate of 23,357,300 wheat and 13,645,650 corn at the same time last year.

FLOUR—The local market has moved along in an even manner, the call not being out of the usual channels. Large shipments have gone to San Francisco for foreign shipment. This has largely been confined to Walla Walla brands. For standards the local market is quoted at $5, less trade discount. Outside brands slow of sale at $4 25@4 75.

MILLSTUFF—Supplies have continued small enough to avoid crowding the market and the bulk arriving is on orders. Millers have succeeded in keeping their stocks through less grinding. Dealers have been able to secure stocks without advanced cost and values show no change. Jobbing prices are: Bran, $20@22; shorts, $25, middlings, $28@30 for feed. California continues to send us ground barley and an increased quantity of oil meal, the latter being in request.

OATS—Consignees continue to experience difficulty in placing consignments readily and few sales were reported. Dealers have not been in need and keep their stocks full. We quote good to very choice feed 50@52 cents, with other grades 40@48 cents.

POTATOES—Buyers have shown a disposition to hold off, as their needs are purely local. Lower bids resulted in less being offered and the market may be said to show more tone than it did last week. For common to good 50@55 cents is bid.

ONIONS—Dealers pay 1¼c.

PROVISIONS—All meats are held firm, especially good cuts. Lard is steady, with heavy large stock. Quotations are: Bacon, 16@18c; shoulders, 1 @11c; country cured hams, 13@14c; best local cured and eastern sugar-cured, 16@18c. Lard in kegs, 11@12c; small tins common, 13c; eastern in pails 11@13½c; local in 10s and 5s, tins, 14@14½c.

DRIED FRUIT—Market shows nothing of new interest. Quotations are: Sun-dried apples, 10@10c; Plummer dried in boxes, 15@16c; pears, 17c; pitted plums, machine in boxes, 16c; sun dried plums, pitted, 12@15c; peaches, 13@14c; Oregon prunes 12c; eastern and German do 8@9c; California figs, 9c; raisins, $1 75@2 per full box.

POULTRY—A scarcity has existed of late and values have ruled high. Expectations of larger receipts were not realized. Chickens have sold up to $8, but are quotable at $6@6 50 for old. Ducks, occasionally bring fancy prices, while quoted at $7@8 50. Geese, in small request at $9@10. Turkeys, continue to sell in a small way at 12@14c.

EGGS—Supplies have been excessive, but near the close receipts indicate less. From 30 cents they have slowly been forced down until 18 cents was accepted. The demand has been stimulated by the declines and shorter receipts will only slowly check this demand. We quote 18c.

BUTTER—Fresh local roll has been held back by reason of low values, as 27½@30c only is obtainable in open market. California roll has moved freely at 27½c, and is weak. Eastern has not been forced on the market, and the best is held at 27½c, with other selling down to 25c. Solid of poorer grade neglected at 18@25c.

FRUIT—Apples irregular at $1 25@2. Oranges scarce, as to choice, at $4@6. Lemons, $7.

HAY—The market is uninteresting $10@10 being still paid for baled timothy, and supplies are about equal to requirements. More loose is seen on the streets, and for this $20@22 is had.

SHIPPING NOTES.

The State of California sailed from San Francisco at 10:45 A. M.

The Oregon sails hence to-morrow (Friday) night.

Tonnage in Port March 20.

CHARTERED FOR GRAIN.

Vessel.	Ton	Charterers.
Br bk Chas Cotesworth	1031	Meyer, Wilson & Co.
Am sh Tillie E Starbuck	1931	C. Caesar & Co.
Am sh Jerome	1214	Taylor, Young & Co., agt.
Am sh Highland Light	1315	C. Caesar & Co.

DISENGAGED.

Vessel.	Ton	Agents.
Am sh Belmont	1169	Master
Am sh Red Cross	1301	N. Ingersoll
Am sh Three Brothers	1191	N. Ingersoll
Am sh Mt. Washington	1217	G. H. Prescott
Am sh S. P. Mead	1062	Sutton & Beebe
Br sh River Indus	1147	C. Caesar & Co.
Br bk City of Carlisle	862	C. Caesar & Co.
Br sh Eskdale	1222	Balfour, Guthrie & Co.

Tonnage on the Way March 20.

Vessel.	Ton	From.	Days out.
Nor bk Jorsalfarer	1001	Liverpool	140
Br bk Noreenburn	653	Liverpool	139
Br bk Plato	998	Liverpool	106
Br bk Tytheopis	1152	London	108
Am sh Alameda	1172	New York	67
Am bk Belle of Oregon	1100	New York	17
Am sh Clara Riemont	1340	Philadelphia	Ld'g
Br sh Grasedale	1222	Liverpool	Ld'g
Br bk Alpheta	844	London	Ld'g
Br sh Lerna Law	1557	Hull	2

MISCELLANEOUS.

Vessel	Ton	From	
Am bk Alden Besse	842	†Hong Kong.	
Am bk Coloma	863	Hong Kong.	Loading.

†To sail Feb. 25.

Markets by Telegraph.

SAN FRANCISCO MARKETS.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 20.

Weather—Clear, wind, north.

Receipts—Wheat, 47,300 ctls, including 38,000 aboard ship; flour, 3800 qr sks, oats, 700 ctls; potatoes, 5900 sks; eggs, 10,100 dozen.

Produce—Market very quiet; quotations unchanged.

Wheat—Spot, quiet but firm; No. 1 shipping, $1 80; futures—the demand is better and prices favor sellers; No. 1 white seller the year, $1 46½; buyer the season, $1 62½@1 64; buyer the year, $1 63@1 63¾.

Flour—Business dull; offerings large; asking prices unchanged.

Barley—Spot: feed, steady at 1 22½c; brewing from $1 35@1 40; futures quiet, prices against buyers; No. 1 feed, seller May 98½c; seller the season 94½c; buyer the season 98@98½c.

Oats—Prices and general features of the market are unchanged; extra choice quoted at $1 55@1 60.

Potatoes—Quiet, with prices against sellers. Sales of Petalumas and Tomales at 1 55; other descriptions unchanged.

Onions—Holders sold to Cox at $1 40.

Bran—No. 2 White, $4 1 @1 05 to. Stock: one small.

Grain Bags—Calcutta—Market firm and quiet.

Codfish—Weak at the late decline.

Salmon—Inactive.

Hops—Dull, but not perceptibly lower; held at 17@20c.

Eggs—Fresh California, 20@21c. The market is now firm, and the decline is probably checked.

Butter—Fresh roll, choice and extra choice, 25@25c. The market is a little more active. Local dealers are heavily stocked.

CHICAGO MARKETS.

CHICAGO, March 20.

May deliveries—Wheat, weak 94½c; pork, higher, $18 05; lard, higher, $9 62½; ribs, higher, $9 52½@9 55; short ribs, lower, $9 60, cash.

NEW YORK MARKETS.

NEW YORK, March 20.

Wheat and flour, dull; wool, steady; hides, firm.

MONEY MARKETS.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 20.—Sterling exchange on London banks, sixty days, $4 86½; documentary, $4 86.

Transfers—17½.

Bank of England rate of interest—3 per cent.

NEW YORK, March 20.—Silver bullion, 1000 fine, per fine ounce, 111⅞.

Sterling exchange, prime banks, long, $4 88, short, $4 91½.

Good commercial, from 1 to 2c lower; documentary, 2 to 1½c lower.

United States bonds—3s, 103½; 4½s, 113½; 4s, 123¼.

LONDON, March 20.—Consols, 101 13-16@101 15-16 money; 101 15-16@102 1-16 account.

Silver bullion, English standard, 925 fine, per fine ounce, 50 15-16.

BEERBOHM'S FOREIGN BREADSTUFFS REPORT.

LONDON MARKETS.

LONDON, March 20.

Floating cargoes—Inactive.

Cargoes on passage or for shipment—Buyers hold aloof to operate.

Good cargoes No. 2 California off coast, 39s 7d.

Number of cargoes for sale on coast—Less than five.

LIVERPOOL MARKETS.

LIVERPOOL, March 20.

Spot market—Wheat dull; maize in moderate demand.

Quantities on passage to continent—Wheat, 330,000 quarters.

Quantities on passage to U. K. for ports of call and direct ports—Wheat and flour, 1,275,000 qrs.

PARIS MARKETS.

PARIS, March 20.

Spot market—Wheat quiet; flour steady.

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE.

DOMESTIC PORTS.

TACOMA, March 20.—Sailed—Sch Levi Stevens, San Francisco.

CAPE HANCOCK, March 20, 4 P. M.—Bar smooth; weather, clear; wind, west; velocity, nine miles. Kate and Annie crossed out 10:45 A. M.

ASTORIA, March 21, 8 A. M.—Weather, clear; wind, east.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 20.—Sailed—Str State of California, Portland; str San Pedro, Tacoma; ship Yorktown, Cork; sh Harvester, Nanaimo; sh Adolph H Smith, Seattle; sch Claus Spreckles, Kahului; schs Martha W. Tuft and Mary, coastwise; sch Cascade, Coos bay. Arrived—Sch Coquimbo, Port Madison; bkt Eureka, Hoi Nam. Cleared—Str St. Paul, Ounalaska.

FOREIGN PORTS.

QUEENSTOWN, March 20.—Arrived, ship Amasa, Portland, Or.; Bark Isle of Anglesea, same.

HULL, March 18.—Sailed—Bark Largo Law, Portland.

MISCELLANEOUS.

QUEENSTOWN, March 20.—Br sh Sheelr, from Portland, previously reported, lost foretopmast and jettisoned 600 sacks wheat.

THE HOTELS.

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J W Work & wf, Dalles
Mrs Steinburner, Lebanon
Mrs E Hines & fy, Dalton
Mark F Jones, San Fran
F F Chase, Corvallis
J Simpson & wf, New York
H Beckwith, do
W E Preston, do
H Mathews, Oregon
T C Davis, Baker City
John Britton, Montana
R J Miller, do
R St Clair, Corvallis
W Speiks & fy, do
Capt J W Shauren, do
H Waller, do
H J Ferris, St Louis
John Huntsman, Dayton
Miss L A Lenny, Sumner
T Denny, do
Miss E A Denny, do
Geo G Smith, Seattle
C W Cane, Corvallis
J Stearns, Boston
Eddie McClelland, Colfax
D R M Pree, do
Mrs A G Bradley, Winslow
A E Cross, Chicago
Mrs Dr Parish, Salem
J M Fish, Seattle
W S Buchtel & wf, Seattle
E Fisher, Walla Walla
F Renner, Corvallis
Jas Shepherd, Willows
J J Williams, do
Mrs Spafford, do
Annie Witt, Walla Walla
Ben Mohr, St Paul
D W Applegate, Yoncalla
A Chamberlin, St Paul
J Perkins, Spokane Falls
A D Marshall, do
J J Vall, Wisner, Neb
L Harrison, Albuquerque
J E Rogers, Heiner
H C Hall, Iowa
W Warrenfels, Portsmouth, England
M Ingels, St Paul
W B Johnson, Kansas City
J P Arewa, do
T L Smith, Tacoma
J C Johnson, Princeville
Mrs Stewart & ch, N Yam
Miss Florence Davis, McM
Miss Young, McMinnville
T B Nelson, Lafayette
A Hogan, P F C Co
J Smith & wf, Chicago
J S Hamilton, do
J W Walton, Salem

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S Sutherland, Walla Walla
J H Steinburg, do
J D Lees, Dallas
F A Dingle, North Powder
A Sanders, do
S A Miles, Stillicum
S Morrison, Jacksonville
J Vissers, Ashland
N Landsmann, Cincinnati
Al Harris, San Francisco
A J McLean, do
J Williams, Walla Walla
Chas Marsh, Helena
Mrs J White, Fargo
A Schlesinger, San Fran
Wm Mastor, Scotland
Edward Forbes, Chicago
H Kelly, Eugene City
W L White, Oregon City
Milton Smith, St Paul
Mrs A C Brown, Walla Walla
J C Pierce, Oakland
J M Coulter, do

ST. CHARLES.

G H Smith, Lebanon
E P Wood & wf, Sprague
Nelson Neary, Pilot Ga
G Bartlett, Victoria
H P Beach, Denver, Col
W B Niles, Glenbrook
Mrs Williams, Oregon City
J S Hasser, Sauvie's Is
C C Smith, Hillsboro
A Plummer, Forest Grove
S C Knighton, Scappoose
E F Dorris, Sandusky
Wm Wilde, Seattle
J E Wilson, New Tacoma
E J Inglis, Fremont, Cal
Levi Horn, do
Miss G Savage, Salem
Mrs J E Gill, do
Miss A Harrison, Albany
Mrs Gamble, Portland
Robert Gray, Westport
W B Ward, O R & N Co
E Ross, Seattle
J L Lewis, Corvallis
J A Whitley, Dalles
T Cooke & fy, Hood River
W H Haynes, do
Miss Snelling & sister, McMinnville
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J A McGinn, do
H M Knighton, Scappoose
J B Johnston, Eagle Cliff
Johnston, do
M Wooden, Willamina
Ridley, Harrisburg
J P Dickenson, Junction
Clement & wf, Yaquina
J Roberts, Eugene
Robert Roberts, do
Bosworth, do
Mrs C Sumner, do
Miss E Dorris, do
Lewis Sumner, do
T A Turner, McMinnville
J W Todd, do
Murray, Yakima
A A Cummins, Jacksonville

Divided against Themselves.

St. Louis Republican, (Dem.)

The democrats are not agreed on the tariff question. It is much to be regretted that they are not. A great majority of the party are for positive, reasonable and necessary reform. A small portion of the party are thoroughly imbued with the idea that a protective tariff is wise and useful to American industries. It is, however, a great mistake to suppose that democrats are more divided than republicans are.

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MINING STOCKS REPORT.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 20.

Stock	Price	Stock	Price
Alpha	3 25	Con Va	15
Alta	1 50	Crown Point	1 15
Belcher	85	Potosi	80
Best and Belcher	2 50	Union	1 80
Bodie Con	7 85	Eureka Con	4 10
Ophir	1 60	Gould and Curry	3 35
Sierra Nevada	2 70	Hale and Norcross	1 70
Yellow Jacket	1 95	Mexican	1 70
Bullion	75	Mono	5 75
Bulwer	1 55	Savage	95
Chollar	1 45	Utah	1 10

NEW YORK STOCKS.

NEW YORK, March 20.

OPENING PRICES.

Stock	Price	Stock	Price
Pacific Mail	55½	Western Union	77⅜
North Western	119½	Lake Shore	103⅞
N. Y. Central	116⅞	Erie	24⅜
Transcontinental	20⅞	O. R. N. & Stock	67⅜

CLOSING QUOTATIONS.

Stock	Price	Stock	Price
Western Union, ex-div	73⅞	Transcontinental	21
O. R. & N. Stock	88¾, 89	Oregon Imp. stock	43, 42¾

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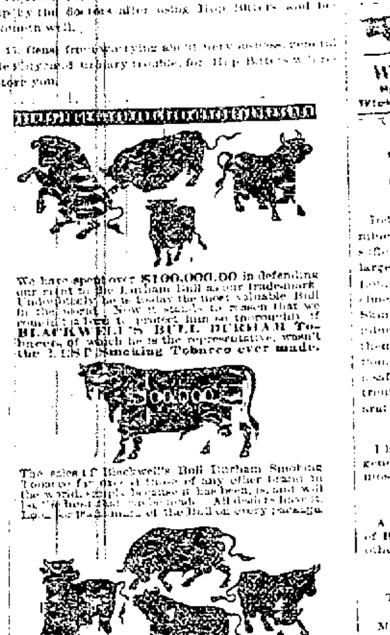

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